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ice stabilization is to be a theme of Consertive policy in the next election. Party leaders a weekend conference of prospective candites envisaged a voluntary incomes policy. nich would be made statutory as a last resort. Ip with mortgages and an easing of rates were o suggested in a package designed to appeal middle-class voters.

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idates yesterday. nservatives still put their in incomes policy, but not comes policy alooe and not stutory one if they could it. Mr Carr said. He prom-

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Conservative leaders now late that no incomes can he made to stick it consent. But it is also se they are bighly sensi-the charge that they be-in confrontation with the

the conference on Saturd Sunday candidates emed that they did not speak lalf of industry, and par-ly not for big business. Conservatives ara once their "one oation" of mind.

if, in spite of all these intentions, the Conservaoay have to accept that a ary incomes policy is no than a dream then they apose a statutory policy. Carra words, "the next vative Government will superbuman efforts to get a policy on a voluntary

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hasis, but we must make it quite clear that if unfortuoately it is necessary we will support voluntary restraint with the hack-up of the law".

In addition to restraint in pay increases the Conservatives promise restraint in public spending, particularly by local authorities, Mr Carr pointed our that if local authorities were to be relieved of some expenditures they must not be wasteful in other fields.

The second element of Mr Carr's price stabilization programme, after restraint of pay and public spending, was income protection. There would be new inflation-protected forms of saving, possibly continued threshold agreements, and pensions and other long-term social security henefits would be adjusted every six months, as the Conservatives promised to their February manifesto.

Finally, there would be package of measures to encourage production and investment. must he made a first prior ity of our taxation and industrial policies," Mr Carr said, " to encourage firms to spend more money on new plant and machinery."

The price-stabilization programme is only one wing of Conservative policy. On Saturday Mrs Thatcher, shadow Minister for the Environment, outlined to conference delegaces "not to depend too exrely on incomes policy; on
other hand nor too excluto the middle and lower-middle

She pointed nut that on averis clear that for the moment as those wan wish tenplace age a council tenant receives a subsidy of about 1900 a year by as the principal weapon ust inflation have lost the e in the bigher reaches of party because it feared that could be effective only at cost of unacceptably high individuals. So it was clearly worth considering daing more for the owner-occupier.

It would not he practical to interpret that on average age, a council tenant receives a subsidy of about 1900 a year while the average beneficiary of the mortage option scheme gots only £280. So it was clearly worth considering daining more for the owner-occupier.

confine such help to the firsttime buyer. Those whn had bought their houses three years ago, for example, had met the highest prices and the increases in mortgage rates.

She mentioned several possible naw schemes witbout committing herself to any particular one. But she gave a firm commitmant that one of the anve Government would be to set up an intensive nne-year full-time toquiry into hailding societies. She wanted an examination of their general function and way of operating, their liquidity and reserve ratios, and the various restrictions that

bedged them rnund.
On rates. Mrs Thatcher offered interim proposals and more long-term ideas. The cost of teachers' salaries, and pra-sibly of the police and fire brigade as well, would no longer he horne by local authorities. But these steps would be no

more than interim expedients. Her general dissatisfaction with the rating system was made apparent and most of the candi-dates concluded that she intended to recast the whole ratiog system. In addition, she said it would be made obligatory for local authorities to sell their bouses tn tenants who wished to buy them.

Athens, Aug 11 A Greek war council was held in Athens today to "brief the

Prime Minister on the country's military preparedness". It re-flected rather omioously the growing pessimism over the prospects of the Geoeva peace talks on Cyprus.

From Our Correspondent

Sonn afterwards dozens of tanks rolled along the main avenues of Athens, provoking a good deal of alarm. But inquiries with the Government elicited categorical assurances that the armour was "on its way out of Athens", probably to he sbipped to the frontier areas.

This was part of a plao en-dorsed at the meeting to move units out of the Atheos area in order "To reinforce forma-

tions elsewbere", it officially stated. Passengers said several

senger ships which link Piraeus and the Aegean islands have been requisitioned, while Greek destroyers stationed at Poros island put to sea overoight on sudden orders.

The war council, chaired hy President Ghizikis, was attended by Mr Constantine Kara-manlis, the Prime Minister, the ministers of defence and public order, the commander-in-chief and the three service chicfs. It An official statement said the meening would he resumed to-

While efforts confinue to resolve the crisis by diplomatic action, Greece and Turkey remain poised for war. A break-

induce the Greeks to call for prompt and drasnic United Nations military action to cod what is now described as the Turkish occupation of the terri-tory of a sovereign state. The possibility of a request for an

meeting is not discounted. This would inevitably lead to internationalization of the is, which Britain and the United States seem to he trying to avoid at all costs. It might also explain Britain's decision to halt the withdrawal of forces from Coprus. If troops were needed urgently to bulster the United Nations forces on the spot, availability would weigh heavily in case the Soviet Union its alties offered to contri-

the appeal that President Ford, addressed to Mr Karamanlis, within bours of assuming office io Washington.

It said: "I have watched the tragic crisis over Cyprus emextraordinary General Assembly broil two of our trusted allies and codanger the stability of the area. Your emergeoce oo the sceoe is a symbol of hope to me and 10 all those who are working for a speedy solution of that difficult problem.

"With peace within the grasp of the parties most inti-mately involved, I know you will share with me the conviction that cool heads and moderate behaviour are essential. Be ensured that we are committed to assist in any way."

Ankara, Aug 11.—Mr Bulent Ecevit, the Turkish Prime Minister, beld two meetings today with General Semih Sancar, the Chief of Staff, a tumber of ministers and military commanders. Both military commanders. Both meetings lasted four bours.

Reuter. Aug 11.—Security Geneva, men have strengthened guards round Mr Callaghan, the Foreign Secretary, at the Cyprus peace conference here after two telephone threats to kill him, British officials said. One threat was received by the Brinsh deleganoo before

the conference began and ooe after it opened last Thursday. The callers spoke in English, and ooe said a bomh would be used.—Reuter.

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Britain puts commando unit on the alert

By a Staff Reporter

Mora than 400 members of Mora than 400 members of 40 Commaodo Royal Marines were standing by in their barracks in Plymouth last night after a hurried alert. They will he going to Cyprus today or tomorrow, it is understood.

Members of the unit on weekend leave were called back yesterday and told to report to harracks officers. A message was

flarracks officers. A message was flashed on television screens in the West Country telling the Marines to get back to their

unit.
"This is part of contingency
plaoniog", the Ministry of
Defeoce said last night. It would not coofirm the destination of the unit, but more than 200 troops of 40 Commando are already in Cyprus. They went out to the Brinsh Sovereign Base areas of Dhekelia and Existent course. Episkopi soon after the emer-gency began. Paul Martin writes from

raul Martin writes from Nicesia: Britaio is continuing its modest military hulldup on Cyprus as its role of peace-maker and peacekeeper becomes more apparent. A Gurkha battalion is to arrive bere in the next 24 bours to bolsrer the growing British force on the island. Earlier, Britain cancelled

plans for the return of an emer-

en relatives

Paddiogton Green police station, West London, to see those who hed heep arrested during the demonstration there

was a disturbance involving about 30 people. Three police-men suffered minor injuries. A man and three women were charged with assaulting police

and with violent behaviour in a police station. They will eppear before Marylebone magi-

strates today. A girl is to appear hefore the juvenile

bureau.
All those charged yesterday

The marchers had assembled over Speakers Corner where

police bad clearly prepared for

trouble, with 19 coachloads of uniformed men on duty. One

were released on bail.

New system to curb forging of cheques By Pearce Wright

Science Correspondent

A device that can detect forged signatures is being used to safeguard cheque and credit transactions and to prevent people from using faked security passes to gain access to confidential documents or to

industrial plants.

The process of identification bas been developed at the National Physical Laboratory.
One of the sponsors of the pro-

One of the sponsors of the project, the Inter-Bank Research Organization, is assessing various schemes for financial security. Trials with customers should hegin next year.

Many attempts beve been mede to devise a foolproof electronic identity system by comparing signatures. Most of the ideas work on the same principle, but a research group under Dr John Parks appears to have developed a techniqua

under Dr John Parks appears
to have developed a techniqua
that is easy and cheap.
Their electronic signature
verification apparatus is called
Verisign. Analysis of a
person's handwriting depends
es much upoor the rbythm, or
the way the person moves his
hand, as on the shane of the
characters. The signature is
written on a pad with an electro sensitiva surface. The comtro sensitiva surface. The com-parisoo is made by sending parisoo is made by sending signals to a small computer, which contains five specimen copies of the person's handwriting. Over the years the apparatus can he adapted to gradual changes which come with age in a person's hand-

writing.
The electronic pad looks like one of those metal-framed boxes used for writing invoices, but instead of carbon copies there are materials with conducting surfaces. As the pen presses on the top paper these surfaces are pressed together to generate in-formation for the computer.

The analysis is made by comparing 10 key variables in hand-writing. Although the research group will not list in detail all of them, they include such things as measuring the number of times and places a pen touches the paper, the pauses hetween strokes and the total time of writing. No one writes his own name

arlier, Britain cancelled exactly the same way twice, but is for the return of an emer-five 'samples are enough to continued on page 5, col 1 establish similarities.

hanners of the Provisional Sinn Fein, started donning black and

dark-blue herets.
A uniformed chief Inspector

went to the front of the pro-cession and said over a loud-speaker: "The wearing of poli-tical uniforms is an offence,

and anyone wearing a uniform

will be arrested." He repeated the warning, adding: "Would you please remove your berets?"

The chief inspector told one of the organizers that if a third

warning was ignored when the march reached the edge of the park the men conceroed would

The marchers moved off he

hind an Irisb tricolour flsg. The Continued on page 2, col 7

The Archhisbop was met by a cheering, stamping crowd of more than 3,000 wheo he arrived at All Saints, the Greek Orthbisbop called for unity among Greeks against their common enemy. After struggling into the church through 2,000 listed dead in Bangladesh floods

Makarios unity cati : Archhishop Makarios,

the exiled President of Cyprus, received an

ecstatic welcome from the Greek Cypriot

community in Loodan yesterday (David

Leigh writes). Ha celebrated Mass among

them, berated the Turks and reminded

his followers that he had survived such

of Bancladesh was reported to be under water today as monspoo floods eastern arc of the Indian sub-

continent Mr Ahdul Momen, the Bang-ladesh Flood Relief Minister, described the situation as "horrifying and incomparable with any other time". Widewith any other time". spread chalera is also claiming many victims.

At least 2,000 people have been officially listed dead in Baogladesh and 260 more in neighbouring areas of India io Assam, West Bengal and Bihar.

The floods have directly or indirectly affected the lives of nearly 30 million people in the disaster zone with some ateas reported near to famine.

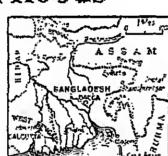
The damage to crops has been colossal and could have a crushing impact on the food economies of Bangladesh and India, both countries short of foodgrains at the best of times.

Mr Abdul Momin, the Bangladesh Relief Minister, said last night that river waters were engulfing new areas in the hard-hit southern districts. He estimated property losses in two months at about £800m.

The Bangladesh Air Force bas been dropping cooked food to isolated areas where people had no matches to light fires. Relief helicopters were finding it difficult to land in many

Most school examinations have been postponed in Bangla-desb and the Planning Comy them.

Mission is reported to have been asked to recast the



nation's annual plan in view of flood damage.
Reports from the Indian state

of Assam, oorth-east of Bangla-desh, said thousands of emaciated people have heen seen hegging for food or fighting dogs for the pickings from garhage hins.

After three waves of floods in Assam, parts of which receive some of the world's beaviest rainfalls, the death toll is at least 70 with crops destroyed over a vast area.—AP, Reuter.

Io Loodon, Mrs Judith Hart, Minister for Overseas Develop ment, will have a meeting with her disaster unit this afternoon after discussions with the volun-

"There is no immediate prob-lem about finance in that if the Government of Bangladesh wishes to do so there is out-tractions and which can immestanding aid which can imme-diately be used for emergency

"The main needs are likely to be transport, food and medi-cal supplies."

New moves to still fears on oil programme

udox church in Camden Street, centre of

the expatriate community of 35,000.

They carried banners stating "Makarios Is our President and the only man we trust". The anti-Makarios faction in London, which had demonstrated in favour of enosis, the Greek junta and Folia R. on the occasion of the Makarios

Eoka-B on the occasion of the Makarios overthrow, was not in evidence. The Arch-

By Our Industrial Editor Against a hackground of City fears that international bankers may withdraw North Sea finance, a government statement is expected today oo new measures to speed oil production. There are growing worries that the policy of majority state participation in the 14 koown fields will add unnecessarily to the already enormous develop ment costs.

One City study maintains development costs with 51 per that the government share of eot shareholdings will £1,799m of which nine tenths may have to be borrowed abroad against the security of the oil. It is suggested that state involvement will add 5644m to the general cost of the North Sea programme to

International bankers, who are being asked to provide huge lozos to North Sea operators, fear that the Government canafford participation and development may be

London & Dominion Trust UK, a member of the Standard and Chartered Banking Group said:
"Rumours are beginning to circulate that potential financiers for future oil development plans are calling a halt to bego-tianons pending clarification of the Government's actual intections."

It said that its calculations on financiog the North Sea programme showed that the Geveromeot would be substantially out of pocket by 1980, despite bigger revenues through public Drumhuie decision, page 4

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Russian cellist seeks asylum

Perth, Aug 11.-Mr Georgi Ermolenko, an 18-year-old Russiao cellist, today refused to board an aircraft here and applied for political asylum io Australia. Mr Ermolenko has been

attending an international music conference in Pertb. He will he interviewed by the Department of Immigration tomorrow, authorities said.—Reuter.

21 die in bus crash

Ankara. Aug 11.-At least 21 people died and over 40 were iojured when two passenger huses collided head-on today near Gerede, 80 miles east of Istanhul.-UPI.

Child drowns in lake Helen Hamiltoo, aged two,

drowned io a lake at South Norwood, Surrey, yesterday while picnicking with her parents, who live at Bridport

20 marchers arrested after a warning over black berets

By Martin Euckerby

the crawds, the Arcbhishop presided over

a two-hour service hemmed io by more than 1,500 enibusiastic Cypriots on the ground floor and in the galleries,

ground floor and in the galleries,

He sat impassively through the opening of the service in bis blark beadgear and scarlet and gold archiepiscopal robes and theo delivered a fighting speech in Greek puoctuated by impassioned shouts of "We are with you!", "Down with the trailors!" and "When are you going to Cyprus" from the congregation.

Magistrates' Court today; others section of the march, organized will appear there on Wednes by the official republican move day.

When relatives arrived as other and left the park when Hyde Park, London, yesterday after the police warned IRA sympathizers on an anti-internment march to remove their black berets.

The marchers refused to do so. As the policemen moved in to arrest them, fighting broke out, and helmets went

Twelve men and two women were later charged with wearing a political uniform, contrary to section one of the Public Order Act, 1936. A further five men and a woman were charged with various offeoces incluobstructing the police, threatening behaviour and being drunk and incapable. Some are ro appear at Marlborough Street

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Official details of the proposals are now available. These require a complete review of all financial planning.

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The Wealth Tax proposals provide a hasis for discussion only at this stage. However it is suggested that it should apply to private houses, family husinesses and farmland.

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in connexion with explo-n Oxford, Thames Valley said last night. He is & Grainger, aged 20, of Holly Leamingmn Spa.

man accused in rd blast case

vill appear before Oxford today charged the Criminal Damage Act nexioo with three blasts city on July 31.

Strong opposition to Mr Rockefeller in the vice-presidential contest From Patrick Brogan

Washington, Aug 11

President Ford speot the weekend preparing bis address to Congress tomorrow and deciding whom to choose as Vice-President. He has asked Republican leadars in Congress and across the nation to submit their suggestions, with three possible names and explanations for their choice, by next Wednesday. He hipes to announce a decision by the end of the week.

The usual wave of speculation is rippling across the city, and Republican conservatives are vigorously lobbying against the nomination of Mr Nelson Rockefeller, former Governor of New York, whom they consider a dangerous radical liberal. They want Mr Ford to nominate Governor Reagan of California, or Secator Barry Goldwater.

Mr Ford is keeping his nwn counsel for the moment. He has a free hand. As he said in his speech on Friday, he owes the Presidency to no mao and bas no debts to pay off with the Vice-Presidency. Furthermore, the country has a deep desire to helieve in President Ford and he could nominate whoever he wanted. The confirmation process will coin-

cide with the Congressional elections. Mr Ford's confirmanon took two months.

The President has by oon seen most amhassadors and will get through the rest in the next few days. He has written to over 100 other heads of government, informing them of events and assuring them that the change of President does not mean a change of policy. Parti-cular care was taken over the letters to the Russians, the Chinese, and Middle East leaders. They are all thought to he reassured by the retention of Dr Henry Kissinger as Secre-

tary of State. The President has not yet moved into the White House. The previous tenants possesremoved (Mrs Julie Eisenhower has stayed hehind to supervise the packing) and the place will not be ready for the Fords until later this week.

Mr Ford was sworn in at loon on Friday. Two hours liter he was receiving later foreign amhassadors in the Presideor's official office tknown as the Oval Office ann in fact in an annexe, oot in the White House itself) and the shelves and tables of the room had already heeo cleared Nixonian memorahilia.

Nixon had displayed a collec tion of porcelain and souvenirs of bis various trips—all had gone. The shelves were empty and the desk bare, awaiting Mr

Ford's settling in.

The cluster of flags lining the office walls had been changed. No American President feels properly dressed without a selection of flags, but thuse in the Ovel Office are considered his personal posses-Mr Nixon's flags were seen

being carried across the street to the executive office building a few minutes after Mr Ford was sworn in. A new set for the new President was immediately installed. Even more impressive was the rapidity with which the framed photographs of the old Presi-

dent disappeared and were re-placed with framed coloured

photographs of the new. The

hallway of the west wing of the

White House was hung with Ford photographs by the time he was sworn in.
Some of them will have to be chaused, however. They show Mr Ford as Vice-President, with Mr Roo Ziegler, former Press Secretary. Perhaps they were found in Mr Ziegler's room

when he left. World reaction, Mr Nixon Road, Thornton Heath. Frog-bearing up, page 5 men recovered the hody. Lahour Staff

British Rail is to face a new round of hard pay negotiations on hehalf of 150,000 workers demanding to he allowed to catch up with the rises of up to £10 a week offered to traio drivers and some other grades.

The claims will he presented

in the next few weeks hy union leaders representing mana-gement, professinnal and tech-nical staff, supervisors, and engineering workers in railway worksbops who carry out essential maintenance work.

They are nor covered by the recent recommendation hy an arbitration tribuoal drivers and guards should get rises of up to 30 per cent as part of a new pay structure. That recommendation has heen accepted as a hasis for negotiation by the three main railway unions and talks with the Bri-tish Rail management will

start in ahout ten days.

The most significant decisioo came on Saturday when a spe-cial delegate conference of the small hut powerful drivers' un-ion, the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen (Aslef], voted unanimously to accept the tri-

hunal's findings.
Earlier this year Aslet staged a series of strikes and overtime hans that disrupted train services. The conference decision should provide a per-iod of industrial peace as far as the drivers are concerned.

Actors vote for

half-yearly

ance "very soon"

Mr Peter Plouviez, general secretary, reported that the Theatre Managers' Association

had refused to accept Equity's provincial pay claim of a £30 minimum with payments for suhsistence and other expenses.

The meeting carried a motion

urging the council not to com-promise during negotiations and to accept nothing less than the full claim.

although Mr Ray Buckton, ing in London on Saturday, thair general secretary, made gave authority to a 16-member it clear that there would have campaign committee to extend to he discussions to settle some the action. The committee is to

The trihunal's recommendation increases drivers' hasic weekly pay from £35.50 to £45.83. The basic rate for guards goes up from £26.90 to £34.94.

The largest railway trade union, the National Union of wnrst disrupted area is Teesside, where 45 hospitals are Railwaymen, has accepted the without routine X-ray services. findings as a starting point, hut is unhappy about the heavy weighting in favour of drivers. Yesterday the clerical union, the Transport Salaried Staffs' Association (TSSA). the end of the weck 30 hospi-Staffs' Association (TSSA), made a similar decision, hui tal groups could he strike-hound. "In a week or so a number of bospitals will he closed or on the point of clos-ing", he said. This assertion will press for higher increases for clerks and supervisors. Mr Tom Jenkins, assistant general secretary of the TSSA, said his union would also was disputed by the Department of Health and Social claim for Loodon allowances,

Security.
The association claims to improved working conditions and the coosolidation of represent about 3,000 of the 7,000 health service radiographers. The Society of Radiograthreshold payments into hasic rates. It will join other unions in asking British Rail to increase the pay of other grades not covered by the tribuoal phers and other trade unions have agreed to wait until Septemher 16, when Lord Hals-hury's committee, investigation Strikes extended: The Associa-tion of Scientific, Technical and Managerial Staffs (ASTMS) is to extend its campay in the health service, has said it will anoquice ao inferim wage award. The association hopes to

paign of selective strikes hy National Health Service radio-graphers in support of a claim force Mrs Castle, Secretary of State for Social Services, to make a pay offer hefore that date and has said it will not give evidence to the Halshury for immediate pay increases of The union's executive, meet- inquiry.

Kidney donor posters to be displayed in chemist shops

reviews of pay Equity, the actors' union, yesterday asked its council to give notice of the termination of all West End agreements. Members called for an end to all similar long-term agreements and their hearer is willing, after his goes to the chemist". death, to have his kidneys Kidney transplant replacement by annual agree-ments and half-yearly pay transplanted. The meeting, artended by 439 members at the Victoria Palace Theatre, London, also agreed to ask for a £400 London allow-

up to 35 per cent.

The Department of Health is providing the posters, in an attempt to reduce the 7,000 deaths from kidney disease each year.

Because of the shortage of available kidneys, only about 400 transplants are performed each year, hut more than half the sufferers who die could lead normal lives after a trans-

Mrs Elizaheth Ward, a housewife at Bordon, Hampshire, who

Posters urging people to persuaded the Government to donare their kidneys after launch a poster campaign in death will he displayed in hospitals and surgeries earlier 12,000 chemist shops next this year, said that many month. The shops will also pro- people did not like going to vide cards stating that the their doctors hut "everyone Kidney transplants cost a

tenth of the annual cost of pulmachine to purify the blood, and transplants give a more

Mrs Ward's son Timothy, aged 21, has had a second kidney transplant. She said British Rail would soon he displaying the posters no notice boards in the Lancashire area.

The posters say: "Harry Morgan left an insurance policy to his wife, his foh watch to his son, and something very special to two total strangers—his kidneys."

Research to discover what a baby can see

Reseatchers at Lancaster Un-iversity hope to discover much more about what a baby sees and understands. The Medical meet on Wednesday and next Research Council has just pro-vided them with a £4,000 gran! weekend. New areas likely to to investigate early visual development.

Hospitals in London, Glas-gow, Manchester and South Wales have heep affected. The research over the next twn years. "When a haby is newly horn we know he can perceive In each case the strikers are the difference between light and dark. he said. By four months he recognizes his mother's face hut very little is the association, said that hy mother's face hut very little is known about his visual deveopment herween these two milestones.

"It is reasonable to assume that complicated pictures, such as faces, are actually perceived as a composition of various simple elements such as edges and angles." Since new born the best of the such as edges. hahies spend most of the day asleep Dr Harris and his team will have to make the most of feeding times. They have discovered that a baby is at his most alert just before meals.

Dr Harris will make most of

his observations at maternity hospitals and welfare clinics. For tests the haby is shown a variety of pictures. The amount of time he looks ar each is measured by watching the eye movements. Dr Harris said that even from hirth the hahy showed

certain preferences. "He will spend more time looking at a speckled picture than a grey one. That suggests that the changes from light ro dark can he detected even at

Boy survives

electric cable

A Glasgow boy aged eight escaped yesterday with minor

hurns when a length of wire flex touched a 25,000 volt electric cable over Cathcart Circle,

Glasgow's surhurhan electric

Police said Patrick McGarry

of St Andrew's Road, Glasgow,

ras one of two hoys sitting on a

hridge parapet over the line

near Muirhouse Junction in

Maxwell Road when a length of

flex touched power cables over the lines below. He was thrown off the parapet on to

He was later detained in hos-pital for observation and treat-

ment for minor hurns and injuries to the hody and legs.

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Flying Officer Suzanne Lane leading men of the RAF Regiment across a river at Llyn Geironydd, Snowdonia. She is a WRAF physical education specialist at the RAF training unit at Llanwrst.

Debate on Scottish devolution renewed

From a Staff Reporter

The Scottish executive of the termined to oppose all government proposals on Scottish devolution. The executive has released the arguments sub-mitted to the Government seven weeks ago when by one vote it rejected all the proposed choices on evolution. The deci-sion has put the Scottish leadership in direct conflict with the party's national executive.

A conference in Glasgow next weekend will consider five options, for or against an elected Scottish Assembly. It is clear the option preferred by the Scottish leaders is that which firmly rejects an assembly. Although the original write was six to live.

none of the subsequent meet-ings of the Scottish executive which could constitutionally have overturned the decision

a separate assembly would be unnecessary, undesirable and irrelevant to the aspirations of the Scattish people. The mem-hers recognized that Scottish nationalism was making an impact, but they believed Scottish difficulties could he overcome hy more nationalization, par-ticularly of North Sea nil. They did not feel the country needed independent taxation powers nr a change in the economic and social hasis of Scotland.

Mr James Sillars, MP for Avrshire South, and a strong supporter of devolution, said vesterday : " If the anti-assembly linhy argues that the Labour Party in Schtland knows heiter than the

affecting Schilland, it does not take 100 much mental agility to accept that the Scottish Assembly will also know hetter on matters concerning Scotland than a hady at Westminster."

Mr Sillars and Mr Alexander Kitson, of the Transport and General Workers Union, will he helped in their opposition to the Scottish executive if a card vote ls called. That should bring in the support for a Scottish Assembly which is shown among the unions and within the Scottish Trades Union Congress.

Our Publical Staff writes: Everything will depend, in prac-tice through not in theory, on the decision of next weekend's consistence. According to the constitution of the British Libbour Party, the supreme policy making hody is the annual conference. When it is not in session its power is exercised hy the national executive com-

The executive considered that separate assembly would be assembly for Scotland, it would innecessary, undesirable and still be present the assemble and still be present the assemble assemble and still be present the assemble assemble assemble assemble and still be present the assemble and still be present the assemble and still be present the assemble assemble assemble assemble as a second to the assemble as a second t still he open to the national exe-cutive to stick to its policy in proposing one. Its decisions rake precedence over those of the party in Scotland.

In practice the national exe-cutive would be most reluctant m overrule the Scottish party nn such a matter. For the national executive in Lundon to enforce its will over the Lahnur Party in Scotland in the name of devolution would be bizarre to

say the least. Whatever the decision of next weekend's conference, the final decision on the party's mani-festo will rest with the Cahinet and the national executive.

Army and police halt march on Long Kesh From Robert Fisk Belfast It was a little like the recreation the barricades. It was a little like the recreation the barricades.

It was a little like the recreation of a set-piece battle, the kind that elderly generals fight in retirement, using toy soldiers instead of real nnes.

On the motorway, five miles south of Belfast, were a thousand or so Sinn Fein supporters trying vainly to march to Long Kesh with flags and hanners of bluc, green and gold. A few hundred yards away, on a hill in Malone forest, was a crowd of angry Protestants bayof great trees. Stumbling up in a nineteenth-century hattle, wading rhrough rhe long grass with red hackles hobbing 00 their berets, came a party of Scots soldiers, trying to driva hack the Protestaots.

hack the Protestaots.

Every so often a stone or a hefty piece of wood came flying from the trees to shatter on the road and the Roman Catholics would reply with a shower of stones. The snldiers kept on running up the hill, hut most found difficulty climbing a country fence, and one slipped at the top and plunged head first into a hush on the other side: the only light moment in an afternoon of sectarian confrontation which could have proved very ugly.

proved very ugly.
Sino Feio, the political wing
of the IRA, had chosen yesterday for its march to the Maze prison at Long Kesb ro mark the third anniversary of inrera-ment without trial, a ritual affair which is usually halted in a suhurhan street in west Belfasr. On this occasion, how-ever, possibly because only a third of the usual number turned up at the annual demonstration, the Army and police let them climb on ro the fourlane motorway which runs south through Andersonstown housing estate towards Long Kesb

Led as a discreet distance hy six battered grey police Land-Rovers, the thousand Catholics headed south, cursing the Royal Ulster Constabulary in front and glaring at the hundreds of soldiers who looked down at them from the motorway bridges. They were not to he allowed to reach Long Kesh, for at a little concrete hridge at the

the barricades.

The marchers had long before left the safety of Anderso mwn, and the motorway at the point sweeps past the little Protestant dormitory town of Dunmurry. Unable to believe their eyes or their ears when they saw the marchers who were singing "We shall over come", the inhabitants neares the road left their homes and smod jeering along the verse Some threw stones, and pehhle began to land hack among the middle-class gardens and the hungalows with their large

curtained windows.

Troops were deployed among the lagoons of an evil-smell sewage farm and others were dispatched to pursue Pro-lestants who had gathered in wond on the opposite side

the road.

There was a 10-minute break while six Sinn Fein delegan. walked to the massive army and police harrier on the motorway to ask and he formally refused permission to go farther. The demonstrators sat on the roat for five minutes to listen a speeches while the soldier stood on the motorway bri sewage farm.

The marchers went back an stones were hurled from the forest again as a thin live of Scors soldiers ran parallel w the motorway trying to head the Protestants.

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divers were trying to find the
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found in a lough on Saturdad found in a lough on Saturdal He had played a leading partition the civil rights movement in learly days.

In Belfast another illegate the Poet Here

loyalist group, the Red Han Commandos, announced the from last night it would end a hostilities in Northern Irelan The Red Hand was proscribed by the British Government end last year hut the movement river Lagan the authorities had placed enough policemen, soldiers in riot dress, armoured differences and work towards rehicles and coils of harhed new Ulster that "legislates as wire in discourage even the provides for all her people."

Marchers refused to move until flag restored Continued from page 1 One of the organizers, I Derek Halstead, an official

police issued a final waroing at the edge of the park and then closed in, first pulling away the protesting flag hearer, despite a group of marchers who huog on to the flag.

As the officers went into the crowd in considerable numbers.

crowd in considerable numbers, fighting started. One tight knot nf demonstrators resisted vigorously before the heret wearers were dragged away to

The marchers stood ing slogans such as "Black and Tans" and "Up the Provos" at the police, and refused to move nff without their flag. It was returned hy the police after about 20 minutes, and about

six hundred people marched down Park Lane and Piccadilly to Trafalgar Square. A demonstration had been

expected outside Downing Street, which was harricaded with railings and guarded hy police officers both mounted and on foot, but the march went straight past to its dispersal point at Waterloo.

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Cauthness, NW Scotland, Orkney

the Provisional Sinn Fein sai they would fight the cases of it arrested people. He complain that one of those taken away was a woman aged 73. Early he had criticized over a low hailer what he called to fascist British police". Organizations involved in the

march included the Irish Pall 1. cal Hostages Campaign, if Troops Out movement, it Irish Republican Party, Peopl Democracy, and the Ioted tional Socialists.

On July 29 eight TRA st porters were convicted at 4 Street Magistrates' Count illegally wearing a milit while marching beside the till. of Michael Gaughan, who di

after a hunger strike. The court had decided to the men's apparel, which cluded hlack herets, sunglas

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MP opposes stewardesses' £200 uniforms

Mr Marcus Lipton, Labour MP for Lombeth, Central, protested yesterday after hearing that British Airways is to provide 1,500 stewardesses in its nverseas division with Hardy Amies uniforms costing 5200

hridal outfit for less than that." He has complained to Mr Shore, Secretary of State for Trade:
"This would be prossly extravagaot even if Eritish Airways were not in the red."

Mr Lipton said it was a bad example at a time when economy was supposed to be the nrder of the day "and when 99 per cent of women in this country cannot afford to spend \$200 on a costume".

British Airways said that the uniforms cost "a little under £200 ", hut denied that that was grossiy extravaçanı.

"We asked designers to submir designs to us and this one tame up as suitable and hardwearing", an official said. "It is a high quality noiform and if we bought one lower, it would quickly fall in pieces under the wear and tear of the job."

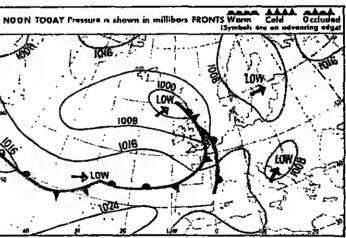
Canvey odours cause concern

m discuss industrial hazards after complaints about oil refinsmells by residents of Canvey Island.

Sir Bernard Braine, Conservative MP for Essex Snuth-East, said yesterday he was seeking an interview with Mr Varley, Secretary of State for Energy,

Mrs Dorothy Shaw, chairman of the incal district council's health committee, said vester-day that there had been atmnspheric pollution and that her department had traced some of the odnurs to refineries at Coryton, Essex.

Weather forecast and recordings



Today

New moon : August 17. Lightlog up : 9 pm to 5.12 am. High water; London Bridge, 8.12 am. 6at (19.8tt); 8.32 pm, 8m 119.8tt). Accompath, 1.13 am. 10.1m 134.1tt]; 1.48 pm, 10.3m 137.8tt). Power, 5.39 am, 5.4m (17.6ft); 6.14 pm, 5.5m 118ft). Holb. 12.26 am, 5.9m 119.2tt); 12.51 pm, 5.9m 119.3tt]. Liverpool, 5.48 ani, 7.2m (23.5ft); 6.25 pm, 7m 123ft).

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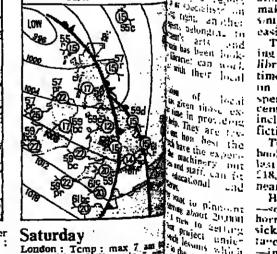
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Affairs Correspondent blicity campaigns to recruit in Treducated boys to the the service have failed, Dr Tobias, formerly on the of the Police College, ishil, says in the latest

of The Police Journal. in spite of all efforts, far many boys with grammar il education who enter the e do so with educational imeots so limited thet they d not have access to a wide in it, e of occupations ", he says.

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the changed employment the for graduates had ined the number of in lates entering the service. it still remained a trickle

lid not alter his conclusion. Tobias bases his opinions " anistics of male recruits to the manner spatistics or man reserving of England Wales noted as they passed igh the training courses.

says that before the war with secondary schooling, rule, did not enter the e. They saw such a step as iste of their education.

"That attitude, I believe . . . upper streams of comprehensive schools as well ", Dr Tobias

In general the service has in the past 12 years raised the number of non-cadet recruits who have a general certificate of education, even if in only nne subject, from a third in a

"Put the other way, it has reduced the proportion of those without even that very mudest thirds to one half,"

Bearing in mind educational progress over the 12 years, the police service cannot derive much satisfaction from the

The number of recruits with five GCE Ordinary level passes or better had risen from ebnut a tenth to about a quarter, and the number with two Advanced

But atill fewer than e tenth, even last year, had the twn A levela that would be the minimum requirement for univer-sity entrance. Dr Tulias conwasts that with the change in the recruitment figures for the executive officer grade in the Civil Service.

In 1962, a twentieth of the direct entrants to that grade were graduates, but hy 1972 the figure had risen to more than a quarter. That comparism, he says, is weighted in favour of the police service, because the

"That attitude, I believe . . . comparison is between thuse has been carried over into the with the minimum university entrance qualification in the one case and in actual possession of a degree in the other.

> Yet, Dr Tohia's says, the police service figures are still lower, with the service falling further behind over the years in questiun.

Dr Tobius's cooclusinns are certain to cause controversy among policemen. The reason the pulice service cannot attract more graduates and academically talented people is possibly attributable in the nature of the

Much is dull routine, especi ally for the enastable; the linur are often bad and there is said in be some dislike in the lower and middle ranks of "academic wontliness" as opposed to practicality. A graduate said that he hed met prejudice and attempts to "cut him down to

It would prubably help better educated recruits could be sure of some sort of equivalent to a commission in the Army after satisfacturily com-pleting a reasonably short period of training. There is, however, some feeling against "afficer class" entry.

The system now is that a gradnate can apply to the force of his clinice. After two years' satisfactory service, he autonatically gets an extended interview for the special course at the Police Chilege, Bramshill, a burdle which, if crossed, brings accelerated promotion.

£4,000 cost of jail sentence is criticized

A jail sentence of six months for theft, imposed on a mother of four, cost the taxpayer £4,000, according to an article in the latest issue of The Magistrate, the journal of the Magistrates' Association.

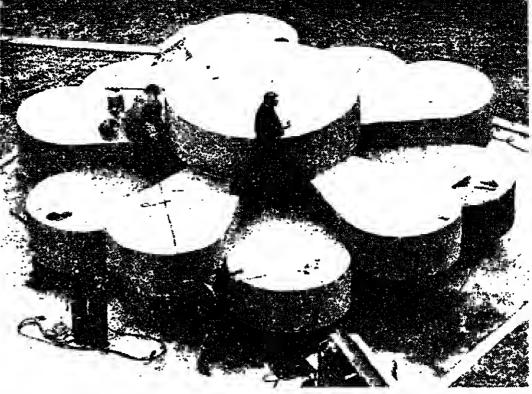
It said the sum included prison casis, keeping the children in care, paying the rent of their house and the expense of social

The journal said that the annunt seemed out of propur-tion to what the woman did, or what was achieved by the senlelice.

It added: "Any social worker trying to help people cope on limited hudgets with today's staring costs, and being frustrated in getting hold of relatively small sums of money to try out mure constructive ways of hatting with the cycle of deprivation and criminality, must be appalled to realize how nuch money can be spent once the battle is lost and the family split up."

In the journal's view "suciety's displeasure at her auti-social behaviour could have heen just as well demonstrated hy a very much shorter prison sentence".

That would have cost the taxpayer much less, end would also and have undermined so much the muther's ability to cope on release. It would not have had such e lesting, and prohably demaging effect on the children, and would not have made such use of the scarce resources of residential places and social



Like a giant daisy, a welded metal play sculpture by Bernard Schottlander being assembled in Euston for the Greater London Council.

Train driver victim of vandals dies

From Our Correspondent

Mr Joseph Cunroy, aged 45, e train driver, who was injured on July 30 when overhead equipment damaged by vandals crashed through his cab windscreen, died in bospital in Glasgow yesterday.

Mr Conroy, of Nethercairn Road, Glasgow, who worked from British Rail's Hyndland

depot, was driving a suburban clectric train from Balloch to Airdrie when the incident occurred neer Garrowhill. He was transferred from the city's Royal Infirmary to the neurosurgical unit of the Southern General hospital, where he died from severe head injuries without recovering consciousness.

Mr Devid J. Cobbett, general manager of British Rail's Scot-

tish Region, said yesterday "For years we have warned of the grave consequences of acts of vaodalism which cen cause death and distress. are deeply distressed that nue worst fears bave been con-firmed". He said the most in-tensive anti-vandalism campaign had been carried out this yeer Although too late for Mr Conroy, people might now realise

difficulties the railways

Airports to lose their own police force

The British Airports Authority police force, set up in 1966 to cover Heathrow, Garwick, stansted, Prestwick and Turobouse airports, is to be dis-banded early next year.

Talks that have begun in England and Scotland follow the passing of the Policion of Airports Bill, which received the Royal Assent on August 1.

While the transfer Bill was going through the Commons, Dr Summerskill, Under-Secretary at the Home Office, said that although it contained power to transfer responsibility for policing other airports, the Home Secretary had not de-cided to exercise the power ex-cept at Heathrow.

When international alerts occurred, Scotland Yard provided armed support at Heath-row, and finally it was decided that as the airport police would remain unarmed, security required the permanem presence of Metropoliten Police officers.

Fuur hundred officers in the BAA furce at Heathrow bave been encouraged to transfer to the Metropolitan Police. The consequent reduction

from a toral strength of 520 has damaged career prospects for officers at Prestwick, Gatwick, Stansted and Turnhouse. The authority has begun talks with Sussex police about Gatwick, and e conference will take place with Essex police in Octo-ber abour Stanstead.

Ayrshire police are being asked for their views ebout policing Prestwick airport, Glasgow, and Edinburgh police are being asked about Turnhouse.

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I am sure the Governt could reverse the lew, but m't think they will do it. I t think the bailiffs will e: I believe that eventually whole thing will be solved on anonymous donation. But ction is taken against the ter councillors to seize their is then we shall act in our way. We are in full support tem."

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at danger spot

Colwyn Bey Hundreds of bolidaymakers were delayed yesterday when the main ASS coast road was blocked for 15 minutes at en accident black spot et Penmaenmawe by 150 hanner-waving

It was part of a campaign for a footbridge to be built across the mad at a point where last week there was a fatal accident. Local penple have to cross the busy A55 to get to the beach. They are supported in their cempaign by Mr Wyn Robetts, Conservative MP for Conway.

Mrs Yvoone Hancock, aged 25, who was taking part with her two children, said: "My little gitl of five saw ber sevenyear-old cousin killed in ac accident bere last year and will never forget it. We will keep on campaigning until something

Chief Superintendent Jack inld the protesters over a loud hailer that recommendations made to the Welsh Office in cluded a fnothridge and a 50 mph speed limit. They heeded his appeal to let traffic pass.

Mr Roberts, whn wetched the demonstration, accused the Welsh Office of heing dilatory. He said that if denger signs were erected as an interim measure, as had been suggested, safety might at least be improved for the rest of the

have also been examined. There

schools bave a particularly difficult time in that they have

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Increases in connexion charges for extensions and

OVER 56 KILOMETRES

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Increases in rentals of 75p per quarter;

most connexion charges unchanged.

LOCAL CALLS - from STD exchanges

LOCAL CALLS - from other exchanges 2p per call at all times

library system and at any onc at bow libraries can work closely with their local unte some 28 million books are on loan. Libraries are big spenders, tun. They buy 14 per cent of the books sold in Britain orities bas given those exincluding four fifths of all new

Their purchases of 12 million books a year cost, at the last reckoning in 1972-73, f18,271,000. Bonk atocks total nearly 114 millinn. Hnw to fit all their resources

serving schanls, regular borrowers, the handicapped, the sick, the ntherwise disadvantaged, which includes prisnners —into nne cultural pattern is perplexing the experts. However, fur a demonstration

nf how the libraries and social servicea departments can work together they need go no fur ther than the London borough of Newham.

Where handicapped people are unable to leave their homes, the Newham library service pro vides " books on wheels ", using vans which provide meals no wheels during the marnings end

Instead of hut-plates, they carry racks and supermarket type haskets full uf books and ed the greatest upset.

type haskets full of books and through regular visits library staff get to know the needs ni same 300 handicapned people.

"We are infinitely expan sible", says Mr J. Green, the borough librarian; in an area, compact but heavily popuar et the South and West lated, where 37,000 children are also served by special library schemes in the school holidays,

INLAND TELEGRAMS from 12 August 1974

Ordinary telegrants - Minimum of 60p for up to 10 words; 5p per additional word. Overnight telegrams - Minimum of 40p for up to 10 words: 2p per additional word. Greetings telegrams - As for ordinary telegrams plus 30p surcharge freduced to 15p if handed in or phoned in Monday to Friday not later than noon on the day before delivery is required).

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INTERNATIONAL SERVICES from 12 August 1974

off-peak dialled telephone calls. New charge for an Ordinary Telegram is 9p per word. From I September the European Letter Telegram facility will be withdrawn.

European - New charges for telephone and some telex calls; cheap rates are introduced for Intercontinental-Charges for telegram and telephone calls are rearranged into two bands only. Cheap rates are introduced for off-peak dialled telephone calls to North America; existing reduced rates via the operator are withdrawn. Some telex and international leased circuit charges are reduced.

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in rentals for external extensions.

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Inland telephone and telegram services - A leaflet PH 1888 is available in Post Offices and from Telephone Area Sales Offices. For further information on inland telephone services - please consult your Telephone Area Sales Office; the telephone number is in your telephone directory. For other inland telegram services please ask at a Post Office counter. International services - Booklet PG309, available in Post Offices, Telephone Area Sales Offices and from International Telegraph Offices, gives fuller information about the new international charges.

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Dr Paul Barclay, Mr Henry inscribed h seas last November after awards.

'unlawfully denied to children'

Many poor children were possibly being deprived unlawfully of free school meals, the Child Poverty Action Group said yesterday. Many local education authorities were failing to make clear on forms which parents have to fill in for free meals that the assessment was based on net, oot gross income. Parents were sending in misleadingly high estimates of their net income.

At least 38 local education authorities in Tyneside aod Scotland were failing to ask the right questions on the farm, the group said. If authorities in other parts of the country were failing similarly "it could mean that Ibousands of coildren are being denied free school meals which are their legal en-titlemeni".

The group has asked Mi Prentice, Secretary of State for Education and Science, to issue immediately a circular to al authorities drawing attention to their statutory duties in the assessment for free meals. Where past rejection had been unlawful, families should he reimbursed.

It cites the case of Aberdeen education authority where the application form has been re-vised because it was based on gross income, and no questions were asked about lax, national insurance, morigage payments or other expenses. A review is in be made in all last year's rejected applications, the group said.

North and South Tyneside, two of the authorities named in the group's report, have since acted to revise their free meals application forms.

Mr John Partington, director of education in North Tyneside, said the authority had minnr defects in its original form, all of which had been amended. The new form would be available at the beginning of next term.

A spot esman for South Tyne-side said its supply of existing forms had run out and the new forms would he revised, to take into account the points raised by the group.

The Inner London Education Authority issued a leaflet in 1972 to all parents of schoolchildren, and since then to pareots of every new entrant. It gives exact instruction on how to apply for free school meals and points out that eligibility is talculated on net income, after deductions for Illings such as tax, travelling expenses, national insurance and rent.

It also poiots out that there is automatic entitlement for families on supplementary benefits and certain incomes, such as the first £2 of the mother's income, or a disability allowance, are not taken into account.

A majority of Zu,080.

Mr John Gripper, aged 45, veterinary surgeon, Conservative, for Swindon, held by Labour with a majority of 8,709.

Free meals 'Graffiti squads' tidy up in a community where the only writing on the wall spells comfort

Keeping new town clean and prosperous

The new town of East Kilbride keeps itself smart with discreet belp from a "graffiti squad". On public walls and in concrete crannies where young couples have declared their love in large blue letters or where Celtic supporters laud

East Kilbride their team in phospborescent pink, the squad sets to work early each day with chemicals and scrubbing brushes to erase the scribblings of the night

before. Police direct them to their targets. "During the night or the weekend their patrols note what has been written and we go and rub it out", one worker explained. The squad bas a van filled with solvents and chemi-

Some towns ignore graffiti in public places in the hope that they will wear away; others apparently accept rainbow ramblings as a kind of art form, but East Kilbride maintains the blankness about its walls which

the town's architects intended. It is a proud and an ambitious place, the oldest of the Scotthe neo-Georgian development on the ourth side of Ediohurgb

" new 'own " was coined. East Kilbride relishes its achievements, sioce the earth movers began to transform one of Scotland's nides: villages into the first of the satellite towns to bouse aurplus population from Glasgow.

Only one new town has built more houses, more than 20,000 since it was designated after the

Polished guns will be unwrapped and loaded today for

the opening of the grouse-shooting season. Some of the first grouse shut in Scotland will go to the kitchens of the Glen-eagles Hotel, Perthshire, to the

boot of a 50-year-old Rolls-Royce Silver Cloud driven by Major

ennox Jamieson.
Major Jamieson, who will he

dressed in 1924 military dress and accompanied by a game-keeper and dog, will band them

to Mr Maurice Cottee, the head chef. Later, suitably garnished,

Tory candidates

The following prospective parliamentary candidates were named yesterday:

Mr Nigel Hammond, aged 36,

schoolmaster, Conservative, for Aberavon, held by Lahour with a majority of 20,688.

are named

Grouse will travel in style

for dinner at Gleneagles

Regional report

Ronald Faux

last war. The population has grown towards 70,000.

The publicity department of the development corporation asserts that East Kilbride probably has more television sets, car owners and trees than any comparable town.

More crucial in a region with

a reputation for neglect end social troubles, it has the lowest unemployment figure anywhere in Scotland outside oil-prosperous Aherdeen. Just over 2 per cent of its residents have no

cent of its residents have no work compared with 8 per cent for Lanarkshire generally.

The crime rate is equally low and the strike record shows only one stoppage in the past 27 yeara. Statisticians are delving into the lown's divorce rate hoping for further evidence of contentment. contentment.

Why this should he is diffi-cult to analyse. The new town, like many others, has alops with the usual nationally repeated names. Only a bandful of truly local firms remain. Buildings have the same functional, slab-like quality of other new towns. Pedestrians and traffic are separated and shoppers breathe conditioned air.

"It's a change from our last place on the edge of Glasgow, where the house didn't have a

they will be served for lunch at £3.50 a head.

Hundreds of other hirds will travel less gloriously in the parcels carriage of a fast train

towns are stamped out, stereotyped and a bit dull make me angry. They miss the point."

Businessmen queue ro take shop space, factories in the town are let before the foundations are laid, and East Kilbride has expectations of becoming a shopping centre serving a region in which 250,000 people live. A £10m shopping centre will double retailing space in the town. Reports from shopkeepers indicate the results are already. cate that people are already coming to shop from a wider area than the estates around East Kilbride.

The commercial growth has been on a firmly private enter-prise pattern with the town development corporation, a profit-making hody, working with and collecting rents from a private property development company. That may seem odd for 1S members of the local council are Labour and only one is a Cooservative. But there has been no friction, although there seems to be a change taking place in the 10wn's political outlook.

The new district council which will take over next May will have only four Labour members, the Scottish National Party, seven, and the Conservatives, three That has been taken as a sign that the pros-perous new towns may lean more readily towards a self-determining Scotland, writing on the wall that the Labour Party is working hard to erase.

Hope of more

pairs breeding

since 1970. An eaglet produced last year died after it was fledged.

Eagles are among several species of hirds of prey which benefit from protection schemes

provided by the society, which has full time wardens and dozens of volunteer belpers.

Birds that have benefited most include ospreys. Eleven of

the 14 pairs in Scotland which

Britaio is feeding its young,
At Fetlar, in the Shetlands,
the snciety says, the only pair
of snowy owls breeding in
Britain is feeding ith young,
although a second attempt at

golden eagle

WEST EUROPE



President Giscard d'Estaing during his visit yesterday to the St Paul prison in Lyons, where prisoners were involved in disturbances last week.

M Giscard talks to prisoners

From Richard Wigg
Paris, Aug 11

M Giscard d'Estaing vesterday
underlined his personal determination to proceed with reform
of France's prison system when he became the first President to talk to prisoners in Lyons jail.

jail.

He spent more than two hours visiting the adjoining Sr Paul and St Joseph prisons, the most important in France, after Paris and Marseilles. He was accompanied by Mme Helene Dorlhac, the new Secretary of State for Prison Conditions.

"From man-to-man contacts, whoever they may be and wherever they are, there is always a lot to be learnt, and I have learnt much about the

have learnt much about the facts and the men here", the President said on leaving.

"I chose Lyons", he went on, because the two establishments here illustrate the ensemble of the detention proensemble of the detention pro-blem in France. A large part of the huildings of the Lyons prison are old, though some modernization has begun sloce 200 prisoners staged a riot there in May last year. Twenty

prisoners were injured before police restored order. They had goue on hunger strike earlier in proiest against conditions. M Giscard d'Estaing had flown from Paris and the prison governor was only informed, the Elysée said, immediately heforehand. The President, who took the prisoners' lunch—tomato salad, then beef and runner

beaus—also met a prison war-ders' delegation at the end. The Lynns prison is supposed to take some 600 men but according to a recent study by the Young Barristers' League, the average prison population is estimated at 800, about half

of them people awaiting trial.
. The President talked to the prisoners about the Govern-ment's programme of reform for prisons, a modest start on which was announced at last Wednesday's Cabinet meering. An eruption of prison disturb-ances in July followed by a war-

trial, lack of work in prison and the poor remuneration for it. The prisoners welcomed the new scheme designed to save them from the stigma of a prison record when they try to get a job afterwards.
One butcher complained he

was in jail awaiting trial be-cause bail had heen refused on a charge of receiving stolen goods when a stolen borse had been found in his orchard. "The penal code is very old," he told the Presidenr. "That's true," M Giscard d'Esiaing replied, "some of it dates from the French Revolution."

The governor repeatedly emphasized during the tour that credits from the Ministry of Justice had not permitted more modernization of the cells.

A group of five prisoners serving long seotences emphasized the fundamental import-

sized the fundamental importance of contact with the outside world, chiefly their families. "If one could kiss one's ders' strike caused a setback to the original plans of M leao Lecanuet, Minister of Justice.
Going to their cells, the President heard complaints about the long delays for those awaiting in French prisons.

EEC farm ministers face crisis talks

From David Cross Brussels, Aug 11

The normally calm of Brussels during and long summer break is jeopardy as European farmers continue their protests heedles of the various measures taken by EEC member states to parify

The chances of the minister of agriculture of the Nine having to interrupt their holiday for crisis talks in the Europe capital are growing daily. Despite the Dutch Govern

ment's latest steps to give by ment's latest steps to give his and fuel price concessions, more than 20,000 farmers descended on Utrecht this weekend for massive protest rally. In the Ardennes angry Belgian farmen drawing public arrest. were drawing public attention in their plight by giving away free eggs and potatoes and selfing beef and pork on the street at giveaway prices.

at giveaway prices.

So far the Italians, in French, the Belgians and the Dutch have all taken uniquent national steps to try to help their ailing farmers. All bur the Dutch have ridden roughthe over the rules and regulation of the Community's community's community's community agricultural policy. Other countries may well follow soil Luxemhourg has already announced its intention of following the example of Belgium. The British and West Germans, too, are undar mounting pressure to act. ing pressure to act.

M Pierre Lardinois, the Euro pean Commissioner for Agi resisting any badly prepared resisting any badly prepared crisis meeting. He rightly feat that the ministers would be panicked into a series of deficient which could bring about the collapse of the tottering agricultural policy.

Powerless to stop member governments he can only keep his fingers tightly crossed hope that the sun will keep the principles and trouble away from Brussels for as long as possible to the principles of the princ

More cholera in Portugal

Lishon, Aug 11.—Portugues bealth authorities yesterday of ported 150 cases of cholera find. August 2 to 6, bringing the to since the outhreak began in April to 977.

A total of 19 people have died. The epidemic continue to be centred mainly in Oponiand Lisbon. There were 1 cases in the Algarve session town of Faro.—Reuler.

Decision on Drumbuie oil

From Our Correspondent

The Scottish Office is expected to announce its decision on the controversial Drumhuie nil rig project loday. It will coincide with the long-awaited government policy statement on on-shore sites for oil-related devel-

At the same time as Mr Varley, Secretary of State for Energy is addressing a news conference in London on the Government's role in choosing suitable locations and likely incentives for construction companies, Mr Ross, Secretary of State for Scotland, is expected to give his decision on the John Mowlem/Taylor Woodrow application for a concrete platform yard at Drumbuie, Loch Carron, West Russ-shire.

During the lengthy public ioouiry into the praject when 380 objectors, including the National Trust for Scrilland, gave evidence, the companies in parinership stated that the deep water facilities of Loch Carron and the Inner Sound of Raasay could not he found elsewhere in British coastal waters. But since last November, when the inquiry hegan, other contractors have

rig project expected today where, at Ardoyene, the only United Kingdom concrete plar-form yard is to build three North Sea structures.
Seven other big civil engineer-

ing groups, two with preliminary consent from Argyll County Council, seek final consent for ansbore and offshore facilities at localities in the Firth of Clyde area, and at Hunterston, Ayrshire, where the Government recently indicated that con-crese platform yards would be The Drumbuie announcement

s expected 10 cover the Loch Kishorn project proposed by the Anglo-French parinership of Joho Howard of London and C. G. Doris of Paris. Preliminary consent was given by Ross-sbire County Council last January, but the Government re-advertised the application to construct concrete platforms when considering a re-zoning application from the local authority.

The S4 objectors, including the National Trust, were later invited by the Scottish Office to accept the Drumbule inquiry evidence in an attempt to accelerate planning princedures and avoid another lengthy public

Canoeists rescued

inshore rescue boat yesterday after their canoe capsized

The Potteries Motor Traction Company of Stoke-on-Trent which serves north Staffordshire and south Cheshire, is to increase fares by up to 2p

At least another pair of golden eagles may breed in England in future years, the Royal Society for the protection of birds said yesterday. The first four such birds to bave been bred in England for more than 200 years had been raised in the Lake District in the past five years, the society parcels carriage of a fast train from Scotland to Lundoo where they will he met by representatives for John Bailey and Son, the West End game specialists. "Our men will work late to get them ready for the restaurants by 8 o'clock", the firm said. the past five years, the society said. They were the offspring of a pair that had nested there Because of the mild winter in Scotland, most of the April-May

Robert Davis, of Holin Grange, Ilkley, Yorkshire, and Peter Read, of Cliff Avenue, Cromer, Norfolk, both aged 18, were brought ashore by Cromer

batchings bave survived. Prospects generally are said to

Bus fares increase

Immediate action urged to

By Jobn Young Planning Reporter

Immediate action to conserve Sperwood Forest and protect its historic identity is called for in a report by a study group com-missioned by Nottinghamsbire County Council. It recommends defining the

forest as an area of special historic and landscape signifi-cance, which would allow closer control of development and give it higher priority in the alloca-tion of funds. Management of land open to the public should be placed under a single body, with a well equipped ranger service, the report says. It also recommends that the

Ministry of Defence should make a phased withdrawal from the Dukeries tactical training Special management techni-

ques will be required to enhance the wild life population, the report says. Natural regenera-tion of oak and birch should he allowed within the ancient forest and heathlands, and the introduction of alien species should be resisted. Nn further land beynnd pre- summary costs 20p.

protect Sherwood Forest mitted for the tipping of colliery waste, and the reclamation of all

disused or partly disused tips should be given top priority. The National Coal Board should take steps ro minimize damage by subsidence, particularly in areas

with landscape features, lakes and historic buildings. No new lodustry should be allowed into the forest, and the smokeless fuel plant beside Thoresby colliery should be closed as a matter of urgency.
The Trent River Authority's active campaign against pollu tion should he intensified.

The study group included representatives from the Depart ment of the Environment. Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Defence, Countryside Commission, Forestry Commission, Nature Conservancy Council for the Protection of Rural England, Country Land-nwners' Association, National Coal Board and National Farmers' Union.

Copies of the report may be obtained from the Director of the incinerator of Fiumicino Planning and Transportation, airport. The job took 24 hours. County Hall, West Bridgfird. The documents relate to the Natingham, NG2 7QP, at 52. A first scandal involving the Min-

Rome Opera House occupied by protesters From Our Own Correspondent

Choir, orchestra, dancers and technicians occupied the Rome Opera House last night to deaid salaries and

The protesters, 560 in all, were complaining that with opera in a critical state throughout the country, the Opera Rome Opera House is in the worst position of all. They are torium on Tuesday

Meanwhile they are preparing. a detailed account of their griev-ances and proposals for rein-vigorating the operatic life of

The burning of 33,000 Secret

Service files on Italian citizens and about 7,500 other docu-

meots ordered by Parliament to

be destroyed, was cumpleted

The files were taken from

the Secret Service strong rooms

armed escort and thrown into

istry of Defence's counter-

carabinieri Inrries

From Peter Nichols

Roose, Aug 11

Secret Service files on

Italians are destroyed

Women allowed to be bullfighters in Spair Madrid, Aug 11.—Women's fighting under the name of beration has hoisted its flag Angelita, has fought hulls in liberation has hoisted its flag on men's strongest bastion in

Spain-bullfighting. Tomorrow a decree will be published in the official state hollerin throwing Spain's arenas open to women bull-fighters, or toreras as Spaniards prefer to call them.

The decree marks victory in a three-year cours fight by Señora Angela Hernandez 10 women in bullfighting and win her the right to cape and kill bulls for money. "I'm over-joyed", said Señora Hernandez, aged 27. "I'm sn excited I

can't eat." Señora Hernandez, a protogee of the great Manuel Beniter-"El Cordobes"-

espionage service in March, 1968, when the public heard that the Secret Service had arbitrarily extended its

functions over much of the

Its files were said to total bout 150,000, and included

dossiers on parliamentarians, priests, industrialists, journal-

its and many private citizens.

In December, 1970, a parlia-mentary commission ordered the destruction of the files which

the nnes burnt yesterday after

a lapse of three and a half

declared illegal. These were

domestic scene.

Latin America where women are not barred. She bas heen gored three times.

The Government decree will ameod the Reglamento Taurino, a police ordioaoce governing bullfighting. Until now it has harred women from bullfighting except when they appeared appeared in a comparatively version on horsehack. Senora Hernadez argued for

permission to fight on foot and to cape and kill the bulls as the great matadors dn. " Bullfighting is neither toll nor butchery", she said. "It's an art. It's grace and guts-superhly suited for modern

Her lawyers, arguing that the an on woman builfighters

Pope of

violated modern Spanish len lation eliminating discrimin of thesexes in any profession careeried ber fight throug labour and civil courts.

Last year they won an in portant victory when di-Supreme Lahour Court orders, the syndicato (trade unioo) t the bullfighters to accept a as a member and issue her wit a liceoce.

The Government, in elimins appearance in the arenas, add after more than 100 persond-ties in bullfighting, including some of Spain's most famou matadors, had sigoed a petitio last month.

Señora Hernandez said Misparations for ber first appearance will start immediately, but

Criticism by the

young terrorists Frnni Cur Own Correspondens

Rome, Aug 11 Referring to the suspicion that some young people played a part in the terrorist attack on Rome-Munich express a week ago, the Pope roday called on young Italians to respond to the promptings of friendship. "Frnm among you could arise the moral and ideal revival of

nur people", the Pope said
"Risk has taken the place of heroism . . . some form of fashionable theory has taken over the function of the truth and the dignity of the faith."

W Berlin man iailed for aiding escapes From Our Correspondent

Berlin, Aug 11 Rainer Trampenau, of Berlin, was sentenced to Berlin, was sentenced to years' imprisonment by the did la lack trict court in Frankfurton of trafficking and "misuse of trafficking" and "misuse of transit agreement", the Element agreement, the Element agreement helps today. This means helps and communist pennie to escape.

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to are meeting with only one k erpreter present. "A Whatever the significance of meening—and there may be The minute crises—the meenings tre made progress to the past by days, in spite of some exhikines, demonstrating the Turks'

DOS POSITION. sagreement is close on all the reiss urgeot problems which restored to Cyprus. he Greek government sent

ers tonight for the release Turkish Cypriot and Turkprisoners and for the cuation by the Greek-offied Cyprus National Guard the Turkish Cypriot enclaves many parts of the island. s means that the release of soners could begin tomorwith the help of the ernational Committee of the

d Cross. vacuation of the enclaves uires the help of the United ions force to whom the ves in the first instance. is is essectial, if violence is be avoided, but it means the operation will take a Wr Mayros emphasizied that

orders were sem last night. reported Turkish pressure

Meanwhile, experts working on the demarcation of the ceasefire line are said to have reached agreement on 95 per cent of it. Mr Callaghan wants to discuss arrangements to bring Nicosia airport back to full working order at tonight's

On the future constitution of Cyprus there was agreement to leare this to Mr Claficos Clerides, the Greek Cypriot leader, and Mr Rauf Denkmash, the Turkish Cypriot leader. They will report in the next session of the conference in three or four weeks. Thus by the time the present session ends, probably on Tuesday, the most urgeot questions should be settled.

The Turks, meanwhile, will have remained in occupation of a sizable zone in the nursh round Kyrenia; some voluntary resettlement will have taken place on either side; and time should make it easier for Greeks and Greek Cypriots to accept that some special arrangements will bare to be made in the constitution to enable Turkish Cypriots to control security on part of the north coast.

It is geoerally agreed that neither Mr Clerides nor the Greek Government could accept this now.

Meanwhile, the Turkish force, although likely to remain in occupation of much of northern Cyprus for the foreseeable future, has not attempted to cut the island in two hy a drive south-east to link with the Turkish Cypriot enclare at Famagusta. This seems non unlikely, but remains a possi-hility. Mr Callaghan has re-ceived assurances from Mr Gunes that no such expansion of the occupied zone will be

a scapegoat for what bas be-fallen the island, may turn their

political attentions towards

wider dimensions. In an out-

spoken article Agon, the news-

paper which supports President Glafkos Clerides, severely attacked Britain for its failure

In the post-independence era the British bases were never a

serious bone of political con-tentioo. Even the left-wing cam-

paign was half-hearted to say

the least. After all, it is esti-mated that they mean at least

£20m to Cyprus each year. However, the Turkish invasion,

and occupation of the northern

coast, has created a new situa-

In the political in-fighting that followed the coup and the Turkish reaction to it, the

Eoka supporters have cootinued

to strengthen their hand in these areas. Furthermnre, the

first inkling of what may be

their future strategy came from Mr Sampson, the former Presi-

dent, and Eoka gunman, who said before be weot into exile last week. "I bate to say it, but I fear the British will be the

next target. By the British I

Nicosia, Aug 11.—Cyprus was reported quiet today with oo shooting incidents, although there was a fresh deployment of

Turkish troops and laoks north

Geneva, Aug 11 .- The Turkish

ment mission bere l yesterday that a mine killed a British BBC

of Nicosia.

check the Turkish invasion

However, there are now indications that the campaign against Britain is assuming

ritain may be in path of Cyprus vendetta

icy squadron of Phantoms to Cyprus to defend osia airport at the beight of Turkish assault. This, and iwal plans for a Marine com-ndo battalioo, followed signs Turkish intransigence over

Geneva peace talks.

t is reckoned that there are
w more than 5,000 British
ops and 3,500 airmen in the is sovereign bases on the ind. This does not include other 1,500 to 1,700 British ops serving to front line as under the United Nations

yed by Britain in the Cyprus iffict has been within the ited Nations framework. However, Britain has now found all in the position of hemg only remaining guarantor wer able to act as a counter-ance to Turkey's military

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Five people die in Argentina guerrilla raids

Buenos Aires, Aug 11.—At least five people were killed when left-wing guerrillas launched synchronized attacks on army and police posts in central Argentina today, military sources reported. Two army officers were kidoapped in the raids.

Members of the outlawed igon, Aug 11.-Communist es fired rockets into the Hna air base today for econd consecutive day.
e South Vietnamese Comreported no casualties or ge in the daytime rocket ks on the base, which is than 18 miles north-east of

Members of the outlawed Government militiamen Peoples' Revolutionary Army killed and 12 wounded their outpost, six miles (ERP) attacked an arms factory in Villa Maria, 140 miles south of Bieo Hoa, was bit by of Cordoba, and escaped with weapons and uniforms.

Ir Callaghan to visit Zambia

ern Africa", the spokesman added. Mr Callaghan and Mr

Mwaanga agreed that it bad

been " a very valuable exchange

mented on the close identity of views and the friendliness of

the meeting. Diplomatic observers recalled that recently rela-

Zambia have been strained over

Mr Callaghan was assisted at the meeting by Dr John Cun-ningham, his parliamentary pri-

vate secretary, and Mr Tom

McNally, his political adviser. The Zambian Foreign Minister was accompanied by Mr Mark Chona, his political adviser. Mr

Mwaanga came here while on his way to the United States to

the Rhodesian dispute.

between Britain and

British officials later com-

Other ERP guerrillas attacked military and police posts in the province of Catadted by communist troops Reuter. nom Penh, Aug 11.—Some 0 insurgent Red Khmer o insurgent Red Komer and exchanged fire with thouse the former Cambodian and police. It was the worst outhreak of guerrilla violence for many weeks.—Reuter. marca, north-west of Cordoba, and exchanged fire with troops

in, the Foreign Secretary, measure in agreement and accepted ao invitation to decided to maintain close con-Zambia. The dates for the tact on developments in south-

US foreign policy will not be changed'

today gave a qualified welcome to Mr Ford as the new President of the United States.

"The Soviet people, as well as the peace loving people of the entire world, accept with satisfaction the statements of the new President and representarives of the Congress and United States political and busioess circles about their intention to continue to promote international detente and positive development of Sovier American relations", it said.

But this does not mean that all the opponents of the relaxation of tensioos, who are ariempting by all means to obstruct the normalization of Soviet-American relations, no longer exist in the United States."

The thing to do now, Pravda aid. "is to observe unswervingly the earlier agreements and fulfil the pledges in order, on the basis of what has been achieved, in go further in the improvement of Soviet-American relations ".--Reuter. Peking, Aug 11.—The depar-ture of Mr Nixon should not greatly change Sino-American relations although no immediate progress on matters of sub staoce should be expected, according to American obser-vers in Pekiog. In addition to keeping Dr

Kissinger as Secretary of State, which will be welcomed in Peking, one of the first acts of President Ford was to send a message to China's feaders

Three killed in

Delhi, Aug 11.—At least three people were killed and several injured today when police fired

at workers at a rail wagon fac-tory in the town of Bharatpur, 100 miles south of Delhi.

Twenty policemen were in

jured in clasbes which followed

a reduction in workers' wages as a form of compulsory savings to combat inflation.—Renter.

Auckland, Aug 11.—Prisoners in Auckland's top security jail at Paremoremo defeated the

Oxford Union team in a debate yesterday. Oxford opposed the motion "It is not worth the

Baby lives after rail fall Lourenço Marques, Aug 11.

A new-horn haby which fell through a toilet basin in a

railway train on to the tracks

on Friday, was found alive

Woodland Hills, California

Aug 11.-Otto Kruger, aged 88.

the character actor, is in hos-pital after suffering a slight

Uppsala, Sweden, Aug 11-

The Seismological Institute to-day reported a Central Asian earthquake which was the

strongest registered this year.

New York, Aug 11.—Dehorah Kerr, the British actress, will

return to the New York staga next January after 20 years, starring in a new play, Sea-

Tokyo, Aug 11.—A skydiver fell 4,600ft to his death before a crowd of 20,000 at an air show in northern Japan today. His parachute failed to onen properly after it bit another parachute.

Amnesty International today challenged a South African

challenged a South African Government claim that flogg-

ings in Namibia are "tribal law and custom" in their report Flogging in Namibia.

Tankers' crew saved

Durban, Aug 11.-The 33-man crew of the Norwegian tanker

after the vessel run aground or

rocks just after leaving Durban

Kucbing, Aug 11.-Fifty-two detainees, including 11 women,

were released yesterday from protectiva custody after being held for between 18 months and

members of illegal Sarawak

Our Salisbury Correspondent

writes: Mr Timothy Gibbs president of the Rhodesia Party

said at the weekeed he was ignoring Mr Smith's warning to

keep out of political negotia-

tions to reach a settlemeot.
"This is one man's arrogance"

"I take his warning to parties other than the Rhodesian Front

not to frustrate his attempts to

get a constitutional settlement

as gross impertinence". Mr Gibbs told the Sundoy Mail in

an interview that despite his

50-seat majority the Prime

Minister was overlooking the fact that "at this time" the Rhodesia Party stood for 20 to

those people dn not exist?" he

per cent of the electorate. " How can any man pretand that

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Communists freed

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"The ministers found a wide meet Dr Kissinger, the Ameri-easure of agreement and can Sacretary of State.

he said.

stroke at his Bel Air home.

Asian earthquake

Miss Kerr returns

scape, by Edward Albee.

Skydiver killed

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Otto Kruger ill

Prison team beats

Oxford debaters

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In brief

pay clashes



President Ford talking yesterday with the Rev Patricia Park and the Rev William Dols after attending service at Imanuel Episcopal Church in Alexandria, Virginia, where he has his home.

assuring them of the continuity of Washington's policies.

The American view is that Peking has a further assurance of an undeviating United States policy in the repeated support hy both Republican and Democrafic Congressmen of such an unswerving line. — Agence France-Presse.

Bnnn. Aug 11.—President Ford has assured Herr Schmidt, the West German Chancellor. that he intends to pursue his country's existing foreign policy, a government spokesmao said in Bonn today.

Jerusalem, Aug 11.—Mr Rabin, Prime Minister of Israel,

messages received from President Ford and Dr Kissioger. Both Mr Rahin and Mr Allnn. the Fnreign Minister, empha-sized that the messages from Washington referred to the continuity of Apierica's inreign policy.—Reuter.

Cairn, Aug 11.—Egypt is pleased by indications from Washington that President Ford will follow the Middle East policy of Mr Nixoo io actively pursuing peace through a halance between the Arabs and Israelis, officials said.

By far the most heartening indication about the future trend of President Ford's Middle East policy, the officials said, was

his retention of Dr Kissinger in the Cabinet and his public praise of his foreign policy

Damascus, Aug 11.--President Furd has promised President Assad that he will do all he can to strengthen relations between Syria and the United States, Damascus radio said. The radio said that in a mes-sage delivered to President

Assad on Friday, Mr Ford also promised fully to abide hy all American commitments to Syria and other countries of the world. He said he would con-tioue to "work actively for a just and permanent peace in

Mr Nixon 'bearing up well' in private life

From Patrick Brogan Washington, Aug 11

Former President Nixon is secluded in his house in California, adjusting himself to his

sudden fall from office. He still has the Secret Service to protect him and a large staff to handle the mail, but his world has cullapsed and there is small consolation in policemen and

His changed position was illustrated at the moment of his arrival in Los Angeles oo Friday. He flew from Washington in the President's personal aircraft, but he was met and taken home in an ordinary passenger helicopter supplied by the Government. Even his Secret Service detail will be drastically cut.

San Clemente, California, a suburh sumh of Los Angeles where millionaires houses line the coast between the railway and the motorway, will bave to adjust to the new reality. There is no more "Western White

Two old friends, Mr "Bebe" Rebozu and Mr Ruhert Abplan-alp, have finwn in San Clemente io keep Mr Nixon company. His wife is there, of cnorse, and so is his daughter Tricia and her husband, Mr Edward Cox. The other daughter, Julie, has stayed in Washington to pack.

Mr Nixon's personal secretary, Miss Rose Mary Woods. has also slaved in Washington, presnotably to supervise the packing of his papers. No nne knows whather the celebrated library of tape recordings will he allowed to leave the White House, nor what will he done about those papers subpoenaed

by the special prosecutor which the Supreme Court ordered Mr Nixon to deliver. There was no time to find them before the

debacle. A few of his once-mights assistants have accompanied him ioto exile. They include Mr Ron Ziegler, the former

press secretary, whose last function was to act as confidant and general factorum to A New York literary agent has disclosed that Miss Whods approached him a few months ago to discuss the possible.com-mercial value of Mr Nixon's memnirs. He replied that Mr Nixon should get at least \$2m (1800,000) for them, and heard

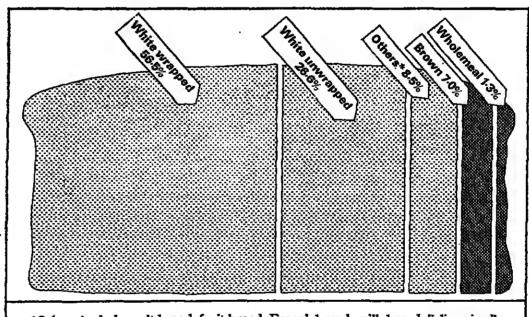
no more about it. The details of Mr Nixon's last days in office are slowly coming out. It is reported that his lawyers, Mr James St Clair and Mr fred Buzhardt, together with his chief of staff, General Alexander Haig, threatened in resign a week ago if Mr Nixon did not publish the transcripts

Mr St Clair, apparently with-unt Mr Nixon's permission, showed the transcripts to Mr Charles Wiggins, a Republican congressman from Califorma, who had been Mr Nixno's most effective defender on the House Judiciary Committee. Mr Wig-gins reputedly told him that if the facts disclosed in the traoscripts, that the President had taken part in the Watergate corer up from the start, were not exposed immediately, he would do so himself. Mr Wiggios was therefore ready with an immediate announcement that he would now vote for impeachmeot when the transcripts were published last Monday.

Choose your loaf-or can you?

What is the British loaf? And who bakes it? Do you have a real choice of bread and baker?

In Britain, bread can be brown or white, crusty or wrapped, plain or fancy, branded or otherwise. There is a ready choice, and the housewife who pays the piper calls the tune. Her main choice is clear the white, sliced and wrapped loaf. This accounts for nearly 60 per cent of bread eaten in the home as compared, for instance, to about 1½ per cent of wholemeal bread.

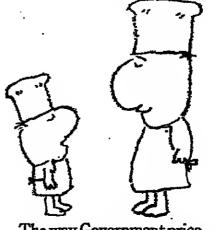


*Others include malt bread, fruit bread, French bread, milk bread, "slimming" bread, white and brown bread rolls. Source: National Food Survey 19:

And this is not merely a reflection of availability. In her normal shopping round, the housewife can expect to find a choice of bread covering anything up to 30-35 types, shapes and sizes.

Must the small baker go to the wall?

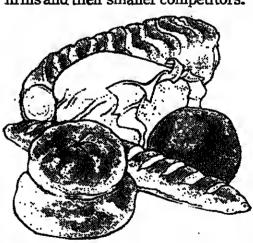
Who makes the bread you buy? About two-thirds of it comes from three large groups of flour millerbakers. In addition to these large firms, there are about 100 bakers who distribute their bread over wide areas, and some 4,000 small 'master bakers', each of whom owns one or two shops and bakes on the shop premises.



The way Government price controls have been operating has hit hardestatthose bakers who are unable to support their bread production by other diversified activities. If maintained over a long period, unrealistic

price controls will intensify these adverse pressures.

Threatened though it is by an unsatisfactory return on its capital and effort, the baking industry still offers an extremely wide choice of product. Even though the standard white sliced loaf happens to be the most popular, 'fancy breads' of many kinds are made by both the large firms and their smaller competitors.



What price Mr. Big?

The industry believes that there is room for all kinds of baker, that the housewife is the first to benefit from the healthy competition which exists. On the one hand, the smaller baker offers a valuable local service; on the other hand, the larger bakers ensure that their branded loaves are as readily available in the Orkneys, for instance, as in London - this, in itself, is an extraordinary service which is offered in few other countries.

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Front-page

hero from

the ranks

of Frelimo

Lourenco Marques, Aug 11

At a pavement case in Beira African waiters crowd excitedly

around one of the white cus-tomers reading an English-

language newspaper. Their interest in centred on

from page picture of e

bearded, grinning Frelimo guerrilla wearing combat uniform. He is ooe of the first

of the rebel fighters to emerge

openly from the bush in the space of fraternization that has

swept through some war zones of Mozamhique since an unoffi-

of Mozambique since an unofficial peace began 10 days ago.

The guerrilla is clearly a baroic figure, as a freedom fighter, to the waiters.

In Lourenco Marques 10,600 like-minded Africans display their enthusiasm at a pro-Frelimo rally et the bullfighting stadium. Mesnwhile, in suburban bomes and city flats white jotellectuals debate the style

one definition and city has while intellectuals debate the style and the substance of the new multiracial independence that is within sight.

In villages end settlements

throughout the country Frelimo cells surface and request, and are granted, permission to bold meetings to inform the public of the movement'e policies.

This is the situation in Mozambique today and there will undoubtedly be a tumultu-

ous welcome some day soon when Frelimo's leaders, Samora Machel and Marcelino dos Saotos, make their triumphant official entry into the country.

There is another side to the

An estimated 1,000 whites a week are leaving for Europe by air and sea—many insisting they are simply going on holi-

day—and others are moving to South Africa and Rhodesia. Farmers, uncertain of the future, are not planting next

year's tobacco crop, a dock strike has caused e 25-day delay

et the ports, and there are strikes on at the railways and

iron foundries.

Government is virtually at a

standstill, as its members offered their resignations three

weeks ago, and it is likely to remain thet way until the Lisbon military authorities appoint an interim body, which is expected to be dominated by

Frelimo elements.

More seriously, law and order

in the remoter areas of the country is under strain. Bandits,

disowned by Frelimo and alleged by some to be moti-

vated by right-wing agitators, are holding up cars and buses Tribal antagonisms, played up

in the past by the Portuguese and played down now by Fre-

limo and its supporters, are another uncertain factor.

There are approximately 40,000 Africans in the Portu-

guese Army, whose sympathy towards Frelimo must be at

least in question,
On the credit side, the turn-

about in attitude among many whites has been little sbort of

remarkable. In four months

they have progressed from regarding Frelimo as a terrorist

group to eccepting it as a pros-

icture, however.

Portugal to ask UN to recognize Guinea-Bissau while Angolans are offered a slower road to freedom

Lisboo, Aug 11

Portugal's junta has set out its terms oo Angolan indepen-dence. This follows hard on the heels of rumous that the peace talks with the Guinea-Bissau nationalists are a stage oearer to a conclusion.

A mysterious visit by Dr Mario Soares, the Foreign Min-ister, and Senhor Almeida Santos, Minister of Inter-Territorial Coordination, to Algiers hefore this weekend has been followed by the news that Dr Veige Simao, Portuguese representative at the United Nations. will present e letter to the Security Council tomorrow pro-mising that Portugal will give de jure recognitioo to indepeo-dent Guinez-Bissau ooce final agreement has been reached hetween Portugal and the nationalist movement PAIGC.

It is presumed that the two ministers went to Alexandra.

ministers weot to Algiers for further talks with the PAIGC. It is believed here that one important point still to be worked out is a formula for a transfer of military powers from Portugal to Guinea-Bissau, but all the same it seems that the independence of Guinea-Bissau is now virtually a fact Angola's independence pro-cess seems likely to be slower,

if Portugal has its way. The junta's six-point plan provides for a two-year period in which complete political independence

£360,000

air ban

demand by

Britain over

Tokyo, Aug 11.—Britain has asked Japan to pay 5360,000 a year in compensation for banning British Airways jumbo jets

port, it was reported here today.

harred from landing at the air-port in western Japao hecause

of opposition from local resi-deots who say the aircraft would be a hazard.

The national newspaper Asahi Shimbum and the Tokyo Shimbum both quoted Govern-

ment sources as saying Britain had asked Japan to allow its Boeiog 747 jets to land at the airport under the Anglo-Japanese civil aviatioo agree-

Britain told Japan if this

could not he done it should pay compensation or provide a new route for British Airways, the

Japanese Government offi-cials fear the United States,

France, Italy, the Netherlands

future, the reports said.

During the Anglo-Japanese civil aviation negotiations which started in Loodon on August 1, the British side has complained

that the terms of the agreement

the two flights to call ar Osaka.

If this cannot be dooe, Japan should pay an indemnity of £360,000 a year.

The British side explained

that they atood to lose about £1.800,000 a year by not having

British Airways flights land at

The Japanese side bas ex-

plaioed the situation at Osaka airport and rejected the British demands oo the ground that jumbo jets were barred from

Osaka eirport not in the Britisb

In February, Britain had JAL discootinue its three weekly flights on the Hongkong-Sydney lice in retaliation for Japan's refusal to allow Cathay Pacific

Airways to operate seven weekly flights oo the Osaka-

Pravda has angrily rejected

plaots in Romania.

route. - Reuter and

case alone.

were oot being carried out. The British side demanded that Japan immediately allow

Osaka interoatiooal air

form a provisional Aogolac covernment representing all freedom fighting groups, chief ethnic groups and tha white population.

This government will work out an electoral law guarantee-ing free expression of the will of the population and it will compile an electoral roll on the basis of ooe man, ooe vote. It will procounce on the type of relationship it wishes to sustain

with Portugal.

The provisional government will elect within two years a constituent assembly by univer-sal suffrage and this assembly will draw up a constitution. When this has been approved the constituent assembly will be dissolved and oew elections will take place under the constitu-

Thus ao Angolan legislative assembly and government will he formed representative of the sovereign will of the people nf Angola", according to the junta. Tha decisions of this government will be respected by Portugal "according to democratic principles".

The junta expresses willingness to allow United Nations observers to witness all these developmenta. It also "reiter-ates solemnly to all the populatioo of Angola that the pro-visional government will take all necessary steps to safeguard the life and property of the residents of Angola, whatever their colour or creed, in accordfor a two-year period in which complete political independence will he achieved.

The junta insists on a cease-fire before formal negotiatioos governing Angola's future can properly begin. Once agreement bes heen reeched on this

to at least 30 killed and 150 injured since troubles broke out there last month.

Kinshasa, Aug 11.—The National Front for the Liberation of Angola (FNLA) yester-day rejected parts of the Portu-guese Government blueprint for independence as an attempt to "secession and chaos" the Zaire news agency (Azap)

An FNLA statement released here today said the liberation movement "rejects the junta's decision to recognize and grant powers of political represantation to ethnic groups".

"If the FNLA is reluctantly forced to admit that the Portuguese minority ahould be associated with the huilding of Angola's future, ir cannot, on the other hand, accept that tribal groupings should be built up as representatives of currents of ethnic opinion", the statement was quoted as saying. statement was quoted as saying.
"The FNLA therefore regrets to take note that the Portuwish m decolonize should be associated with manoeuvies fending to encourage secession and chaos in Angola ", the state-

ment added. Lisbon, Aog 11.—Portugal will tomorrow ask the United Nations to recognize immediately Guines Bissan and edmit to the world organization.
The PAIGC—the African

Col Gaddafi threatens to 'expose' President Sadat Beirut, Aug 11.-The Libyan

Government has "numerous facts and recordings" whose publication will deprive Presi-dent Sadat of Egypt of sleep, Colonel Gaddafi, the Libyan leader, said in an interview published mday.

He accused President Sadat of sabotaging the Federation of Arab Republics, which includes Egypt, Syria and Lihya, and said

he Egyptian President was in Bahylonian captivity ... In the interview with Beirut's Al Usbu Al Arabi magazioe, Colonel Gaddafi described Israel as a "paper tiger" and said the Arabs could destroy in in 12 hours if they adopted a in 12 Hours I.
sound strategy.
He blamed the rift in
Egyptian-Libyan relations on
iournalists who

Egyptian journalists who make bets with one another that they can force a crisis with this or that country the follow-

ing day.

We helieve that President has control Sadat oo longer has control over Egyptian informatioo media. Oo our part, we have not decided to attack Egypt and Sadat yer, although we have many facts and recordings that and sonth-east Asian countries explain matters conclusively.

Renoir painting

shipment to US

Minneapolis, Aug 11.—Police and customs officials said today

they still do not know how a Renoir painting, "Woman io Flowered Hat", disappeared oo the way from London to its

vanishes on

If we do, Sadat will not he able tried repeatedly to approach President Sadat m end the crisis Tripoli, Aug 11.—Egypt has withdrawn all its military experts working with the Libyan armed forces and also banned Egyptians from working for the

Planning Minister.
Dr Abdallah added that a

group of French husinessmen would go to Calro in November to discuss projects in which France may take part—Reuter.
Jerusalem, Aug 11.—Israel
said today it will conduct a
nationwide call-up of military tion procedures in case of re-

Lihyan public service, Foreign Ministry Sources said.

The official Libyan news agency Aroa, which carried the report said that in consequence Libya would offer its nationality to any Egyptians wishing to work in Libya.—

Caire, Aug 11.—France has agreed to give aid to Egypt totalling 500m francs (about £45m), according to Dr Ismail Sabri Ahdallah, the Egyptian Planning Minister.

newed war with the Arabs.

Briton accused of trying to smuggle girl from Hungary

Minoeapolis owner.

The painting, insured for \$150,000 (£62,000), was crated and put on an aircraft in Lon-"We did not hear about it until two weeks ago hecause Richard was worried that the news would have a bad effect on his father's health", his mother, Mrs Elizaheth Wilson, said at her home in Itchen Road, Havant, Hampshire.

The triel is set down for August 29. The Wilsons have heen told their son could face five years in labour camps, but they cannot afford to travel to don on Thursday morning. It arrived in Detroit later in the day and the crare was then placed oo a North-West Airlines flight 10 Minneapolis and later at the apartment of Mr Semuel Maslon, the owoer, in

bit the work was not sold. Officials said the crare apparently had not been tampered with during shipment —UPI.

The Foreign Office bas heen told that Mr Richard Wilson, aged 24, a British lorry driver, is heing held in Budapest accused of trying to smuggle a girl out of Hungary withour papers. He was arrested at Gyor, 70 miles from the capital, on June 11.

"We did not hear about it until two weeks ago hecause and German and speaks Spanish and German and speaks Spanish

pective government.

they cannot afford to travel to they cannot afford to travel to Hungary for the trial.

"We know little about whar month, North, said last night: happened", said his father. Mr James Wilson. "The British consul does not seem to know much either. He says that the Foreign Office as sooo much either. He says that

Moscow denies Romania sabotage Miles qualifies for world chess

Miles, Schweider end Giar-delli each bad five points after the seventh and final prelimin-

Other qualifiers from the 27-strong field include Dieks, Peter Winston of the United

States, Alexander Kochiev of the Soviet Union, Marjanovic, Peter Mack of West Germany, Raul Henao of Colombia and Jaime Sunye Neto of Brazil. They each bave 44 points.

The championship pool of the tournament, for players aged 20 and under, starts tomorrow on a round robin system.—Reuter.

Death for drug peddling

Criticism of modern obstetric practices is growing. In these articles the brave new childbirth is examined from two points of view. Our Medical Correspondent, Dr Tony Smith, explains how and why doctors play an increasingly active role in childbirth. Mrs Jean Robinson speaks for the women who have written to her as a result of her researches on consumer attitudes to health care. Mrs. Robinson sat on a regional hospital board for seven years and is now a member of her local Community Health Council.

Active management of childbirth 'reduces hazards and anxiety?

During the past few years the whole health authorities.

pattern of maternity care has changed When labour had been induced or

During the past few years the whole pattern of maternity care has changed because of the government policy that provision should be made for all hirths to take place in hospital.

In many areas "uneconomic" domiciliary services have disappeared and consumer choice within the Health Service has diminished. Women may bave to fight hard m retain what domiciliary services still exist. They could start by asking why Holland, with more than half of its babies born at home, at less cost than here, has a lower perinatal mortality rate than the a lower perinatal mortality rate than the

United Kingdom.

Many women now have no choice but to give birth in hospital. But treatment within hospitals has also been changed by skilled and hardworking bospital doc-tors who believe that by using the latest techniques to ioduce or speed up labour they are providing the best possible care for their patients.

Women who have strong views on their right to have a natural labour, if this is possible, may have to start collecting and exchanging information quickly if they are to exercise whetever choices remain. Surveys by the new Community Health Councils coold he invaluable, and they may wish to use the questionnaire shortly to he issued by the Association for the Improvement of Maternity Services.

Articles in medical journals describing how labour can be induced or speeded up with hormones administered by mouth

into a vein (the commonest method), or into the uterus, seldom give any indication of what patients thought of their treatment, and none of the many I bave read refers to possible effects on the mental health of the mother, or the mother-child relationship. Information from coosumers suggests that these aspects of care may need investigation.

Letters and telephooe calls I have re-ceived from mothers in England, Scotland and Wales suggest that some patients, both NHS and private, have reacted strongly against oew obstetric methods, and a few may even place themselves and their babies at risk in future pregnancies by refusing hospital care altogether. ("I'm going out to have my next baby under a hush.")

Information sent from the United States Canada and Australia shows that there. tuo, women are reacting against what American womeo call "the cultural warp-

American womeo can "the cultural warping of childhirth".

Not only mothers, but midwives, have
expressed concern. In a recent article on
daylight births in the Nursing Times a
midwife wrote: "Rapid, painful labours
are being induced without their full
effects on metter or baby heing known and effects on mother or baby being known and these risks are being taken purely for the sake of convenience. Many of the babies are born in a shocked state. We do not know what causes labour to begin naturally, or why one woman will deliver in two hours and another in eight, yet we charge in like a hull in a china shop and pump hormones into a patient to speed up her labour. How can anyone justify it? Obstetricians may be quite unaware of

how strongly some women have objected to lahour heing induced or speeded up, since not all doctors communicate with patients easily or, more important, allow patients to communicate with them. Some have given the impression that obstetric care that as a woman's waistline increases, her intelligence dimunishes. Whereas hospital staff may assume that patients who say nothing happily accept

whatever treatment is given, a number of women who contacted me reported that they were in fact speechless with anger at ante-natal clinics, or that they felt too vulnerable to complain. Some who tried to object said protests were ignored. No dools the Realth Service Commissioner would be interested to hear from them if the area health authority is unable to

resolve their complaint satisfactorily.

Since maternity hospitals are, eccording to the report of the Davis Committee on Hospital Complaints, less likely than any other kind of hospital to tell patients how complaints cao be made, valuable informa-tion oo coosumer reaction may not reach

speeded up hecause there were clear indications that this was necessary, and the reasons explained and the patient the reasons explained and the patient; given an opportunity to ask questions, mothere were invariably satisfied with the treatment they received, and deeply grateful. They had been particularly stateful. They had been particularly maderises understood their emotional, as well as physical, needs and had treated them as individuals. Ironically, it was the former domiciliary midwings new most ling. them as individuals. Ironically, it was the former domiciliary midwives now working in hospital, whose valuable training ground in the community no longer exists, who were often best eble to provide the personal support mothers needed to make new techniques more acceptable.

It was mothers who believed, rightly or wrongly, that labour had been induced or "managed" solely in order to fit in with e hospital's "conveyor belt" system who raised strong objections. They welcomed medical techniques which could prevent prolonged labour, save lives, or

prevent prolonged labour, save lives, or produce bealthier bahies, but felt these were being misused if mothers were "turned into battery hens"

Although induction rather than ective ments, the belief of some consultants that e shorter labour is invariably welcomed is untrue. ("They said it would take too long without the drip. Tuo long for whom?

wondered.") Women who had trained and hoped for natural childbirth felr cheated. ("I feel I didn't have my baby at all—he was produced for me with the aid of drugs

and machinery.")

Their questions about the reasons for induction had been brushed aside with the comment: "We want to do what's best for baby, don't we?" Some were left with the feeling that emotional blackmail

Strong indignation hed been aroused in women who felt their rights to a voice in their own treatment and to be active rather than passive partners in the production of their own babies had been ignored. ("From the time you get into bospital you are in their hands and, though what they suggest or prescribe may he totally unsuited to you as e person, you are rarely consulted.") As the percentage of induced births

increases, fewer women in the com-munity will he able to compare their experience with spontaneous their experience with spontaneous labour. But there are still many who can do so, and it was these who provided the most interesting comments. A small minority of those who wrote to me preferred the induced birth. An easy, rapid delivery, adequate pain relief and, above all, caring staff, were mentioned by almost all. Critical comments came from mothers who said that compand with their other confinements are pared with their other confinements an induced birth felt "unnatural", brought no sense of achievement, could be more painful and exhausting, increased trauma for themselves or the haby, or led to complications which might have been avoided. Some mothers reported long-term depres sion, to the point of feeling suicidal or "in no fit state to be left alone with a after an induced birth, but not after spontaneous deliveries of previous or

which usually hegan the proceedings, is regarded by doctors as e "minor" opera-tion but some women bad found it intensely distressing. This was particularly likely to happen if it was carried out without prior explanation and in a manner which showed little regard for the patient's After a "drip" was inserted into the

arm, movement was restricted, and several womeo found this added to the discomfort of labour. But it was undoubtedly the agonizing pain some had suffered which

the oxytocin drip oftee caused the endden onset of strong frequent contractions, instead of the gradual increase in frequency and lotensity which mothers had handled successfully in natural labour. ("The drip was stepped right up end the

pain was terrible—worse than anything I have ever experienced. There was no let have ever experienced. There was no letup between contractions and although I
have the breathing and relaxing technique
off pat, ir didn't relieve tha pain, which
was excruciating. I could hear other
mothers screaming and it struck terror
into my heart, and I'd had four before.")
One mother, who wrote she would "never
forger the hours of agony", was unable
to resume sexual relations with her
husband for six months after the birth.
Abother commented." It seems that some Another commented: "Ir seems that some women today are having e worse time to childbirth than their mothers had before them."

Fortunately epidurals are being increasingly used and usually provided effective pain relief. But they were resented by mothers who had not wanted them and they disliked the epiotomies and forceps deliveries which almost invariably followed. ("Ha was born with forceps, like most epidural babies. I bad stitches, one of which never healed properly and still causes discomfort in intercourse.")

One mother beld out against an epidural until, after hours of full-strength contractions, she was exhausted and gave in "I have a feeling that this technique of induction is used so often because most of the women have epidurals and so are not aware of the pummelling their bodies are taking—let alone the trauma for the are taking let alone the trauma for the

Epidural anaesthesia is still not availabla in many mothers who desperately need effective pain relief. It requires the constant availability of a skilled anaesthetist and doubles the nursing workload per patient. Why, in the present desperate state of the Health Service, are we using on a large scale techniques which apparently increase the number of patients

who will need it?

Mothers are not alone in suggesting that some babies induced on the expected date of delivery were not ready to be horn. Experts are asking the same questions in medical journals. The duration of pill pregnancies is particularly difficult to estimate.

Women in the catchment area of hospitals with high induction rates are now trying to find our what their rights are, and how to exercise them. "Our local hospital gives the date and time months in advance. Can I refuse? "I telephoned the area health office to find our if I would the area health office to find our if I would he given medical attention if I stayed at home." Next time I think Fli lie about my rates." One woman actually did lie about her dates: she insisted that she had, after all, made a mistake in the possible date of conception as it seemed the only way to avoid induction. She was a doctor:
Another patient, in avoid her consultant's
policy of induction et 38 weeks gestetioo
(which had resulted in a friend's six
weeks premature baby) travelled 200 miles
to her mother's home and arranged a lastminute hospital hed there.
Whereas doctors, understandably and
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mothers also judge maternity care io terms of the quality of relationship fostered hetween them and their babies, and they may even be willing to take greater physical risks to ensure this. It is because

some hospitals are neglecting patients' emotional needs that the loss of a domiciliary midwifery service for low risk cases is so bitterly regretted.

Descriptions of home births by mothers and fathers—were moving and even lyrical. The new baby was introduced to brothers and sisters in happy and secure circumstances which some parents helieved affected their future relationship, breasty facility could be recalled in historical. feeding could be established unhindered by rigid hospital regulations, and comments from several mothers suggested they felt closer bond with the haby born at home

than those born in hospital.
Unless doctors understand the importance of such feminine attitudes, their valuable discoveries may be unappreciated and, in the end, rejected.

Jean Robinson

Mothers object mainly to lack of consultation and choice

The terrible ordeal of Wands, the herolae of Isaac Bashevis Singer's best-The terrible ordeal of Wanda, the selling story The Slave, should remind us that until the present century any woman, peasant or queen, might have to struggle through a difficult childbirth lasting for two or three days only for it to end in her death.

Natural childhirth is not always a simple and beautiful process—it may be long and miserable. Nevertheless the traditional medical artitude has been one of moninterference: neither doctor nor midwife would do more than watch and comfort if labour was normal unless many bours had passed eod no progress was being made. As recently as 1959 my own obsteric teacher, a georle giant from Singapore, used to measure the stage at which intervention could be justified by the Malaysian saying that "the sun should not be allowed to set twice on a woman in labour"

Since than attitudes have changed, and an advocate of active management of labour such as Professor Kierao O'Driscoll now proudly asserts that every woman who attends the National Maternity Hospital in Dublin for the birth of har first baby is given eo assurance that her labour will last less than 12 hours. Iodeed more and more obstetric units are using the active approach.

Unless the progress of labour is very rapid, physical methods are used to speed t up. A minor operation is performed (rupture of the membranes), releasing some of the fluid surrouoding the baby: this allows the baby's head to be pushed further into the pelvis and speeds up the process of stretching the cervix. An intravenous infusion is set up to allow administration at a controlled rate of oxytocia, a hormone which stimulates muscular contraction by the uterus. With these techniques the vast majority of women can be delivered within 12 hours, and when active management of labour is Jakarta, Aug 11.—Indonesia combined with monitoring of the foetal will punish drug trafficking by death under a new Bill which is now drafted by the Justice Moistry. Misjor-General Ali, the Autorno General Ali, the Autorno General Ali,

Now the cynics who pretend that this switch in attitudes is due to raluctance by doctors and nurses to work at night or to wait around while nature takes its course are talking malicious nonsense. The justification for active methods is twofold.

First, ir is argued that the traditional policy of watching and waiting condemned many women to long, distressing labours in which ever bigger doses of pain killing drugs had to be given as physical and mental exhaustion increased. With active managemeor a woman can be told, honestly that her labour will be over by a specific time end this in itself greatly reduces anxiety in many cases. Secondly, it is claimed that prolonged labour is a hazard to tha focus and that a controlled accelerated labour is safer for both mother and child. Certainly in the past 10 years there has been a steady decline to the focus and infant moreality.

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The article provoked a great deal of comment from other doctors, one of whom suggested that obstetricians too often a real pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours." Several obstetricians areal pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours. Several obstetricians areal pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours. Several obstetricians areal pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours. Several obstetricians areal pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours. Several obstetricians areal pain (like that experianced by men) but rather an extension of a female fit of the vapours. Several obstetricians areal pain (like that it is claimed that prolonged labour is a hazard to the foctus and that a controlled, accelerated labour is safer for both mother and child. Certainly in the past 10 years there has been a steady decline in both maternal and infant mortality—though which changes in obstetric practice are responsible it is impossible to say, since there have been so many.

Another complaint sometimes beard is that obstetricians induce labour rather. that observicious induce labour rather than waiting for it to start naturally. Induction of labour in a woman who has not yet started to have pains is e very different matter from the physical process of induction—rupture of the membranes of induction—rupture of the membranes—in a woman whose labour is already under way. Certainly labour is sometimes induced before the full 40 weeks of pregnancy has elapsed but this is done only where there are grounds for believing that the foetus may he stillborn if it is not delivered quickly. The only other cenerally accepted reason for induction is that pregnancy has lasted longer than 40 weeks when again there is a real danger.

weeks when again there is a real danger that the baby might die in the uterus if delivery were delayed too long.

There are still wide disagreements among obstetricians about the degree of interference that is justifiable, and even

those who favour e very scrive approach disagree about other aspects. Last year Professor O'Driscoll described in the British Medical Journal his experience of 1,000 consecutive deliveries in Dublin and said that nearly half of these patients were viven no cross at all for relief of

but were anxious about the pain involved. The dispute would not exist, of course, if it were simply a matter of relieving pain: big doses of : naigesics can affect the baby and epidural anaesthesia is said to increase the proportion of forceps deliveries though many experts would dispute that.

As always wheo doctors disagree the consumer's voice—that of the expectant mother—is little heard. Whatever methods of management an obstetrician uses, he will have thought about them carefully on the basis of many years of practicel experience. His justification is his helief it that what he does is the best constitution. that what he does is the best compromise for mother and child and he is unlikely to be easily persuaded to adopt other methods (which he has elready considered and rejected) to fit in with the wishes of the individual patient. That, indeed, is the basis of a proper professional relation-ship: the professional recommends a course of action on the basis of his judg. ment and experience, and ineally the client is free to accept the advice or to so

elsewhere. Unfortunately, that theory breaks down when the NHS has a monopoly and all the obsternations at the local unit have agreed. on a uniform policy. The answer to that it dilemma is political and not medical.

Dr Tony Smith

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Bucharest rumours elleging During recent secret Soviet involvement in e travels loroughout Romania, I learnt, through several inde-peodent and unconnected sources, of a Flixhorough-type series of devastating fires and explosions which have crippled a oumber of key industrial The newspaper insisted that neither the Soviet Union nor

any of its Warsaw Pact allies had anything to do with the fires and in its traditional Westbaiting roos, claimed thet Western reports of the alleged sabotage acts were " yet another attempt to create tensions in the

Bui Pravda did not say that the rumoured explosioos resultiog in heavy loss of life, were without foundation. After a long silence and perhaps understandable hesita-

tion, the Romanian Communist Party newspaper Scinicia has now confirmed that fires and explosions had indeed taken place in a number of industrial plants.

But it did so in order to deny with all the authority at its dis-posal thet disaffected Traosylvanian Hungarians, allegedly operating with Soviet support, were heliod the mysterious explosions in the oil and petrochemical industries.

Scinteia described these as accidents" and blamed them on "careless workers". Western reports of these accidents were "e visible distortion of real socialist countries".

Tha fire at the perrichemical plant was, ao informant told me, put out only after specialist ermy units from Hungary and Czechoslovakia had heeo flown

invited Hungarian Army units to fight the fires. And the soher, unadventurous policies of Mr Janos Kadar's regime can in no way be recoociled with the backing of nationalist subotage groups in Transylvania.

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explosion at a plant neer Brasov, and of a fire et a petro-chemical installation near Pitesti in which, rumour had it, over a 100 workers were killed.

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voiced hy people in many walks of life in Romania, the majority of these mishaps were indeed caused by the carelessness of overworked workers pressed to iocrease still further their production targets. Some fireraising, however, was without doubt deliberate sahotage carried out by disgruntled workers with local and persocal grievances, rather than hy Hungarian sahoteurs. The sebotage reports could not he confirmed earlier io the

Rumania's "frieodly relations summer because of the blanket of secrecy covering all indus-trial accidents in communist countries. My request, through appropriate channels, to the party leadership for a confirma-tion was met with stone-walling. Transylvania, ooce under the Hungariao crown, bas long beeo a bone of contention he tween Romania and Hungary. Sioce the beginning of this cen-tury it has changed hands three

> In the early 1960s Romania, riding on the crest of a wave of nationalism, was putting strong assimiliationist pressures on the Huogariao minority of Transylvania. Mr Nikita Khrushchev, the Soviet party leeder, hlatanily exploited the Transylvanian ian issue to force independent-minded Romenia back into line. But Mr Kadar's state visit to Bucharest not long ago beralded a Hungarian Romanian rap-prochement, and the condition of the Transylvanian-Hungar-ians has since improved. Education in Hungariao is now freely available, although joh discrimination remains and Hungariao representatioo io tha higher echelons of the party and state organs is far from equit-

ahle. The Transylvanian issue, if iodeed it is e problem, will cer-tainly oot lead to a Cyprus-type confrontation between the two countries, but the communist regimes, like their right-wing predecessors, failed to solve the complex nationality problems be-goeathed by the Austro-Hungarian empire.

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Embroidering the myth crack three walnuts in one mighty, weather-heaten paw.

But Trelawny's real hid for the heroic role bad been made earlier, in his first book, Adventiges of a Vargager Son Lie to romagnic delight in exprise

tures of a Younger Son. It is an account of his life between

the ages of 13 and 21, largely spent huccaneering on the Indian Ocean and in the China

seas during the Napoleonic Vars, after deserting from a

passport to the Pisan circle in 1822, so that Byroo instantly recognized a romantic prota-

gooist in search of an author:

"I have met today the personi-fication of my Corsair." Though

in the event Trelawny chose Shelley.

achoolmaster, beats his bullying

Scots lieutenant to a marrow bone jelly io a Bomhay bar,

druokenness, whoring, sea-fights, hero-worship of his oew commander, De Ruyter, a Dutch

privateer captain in French

psy; then soul-brother friend-ships, paradise islands, and a

love-match with a thirreeco year

Finally Trelawny returns to

England already old before his

time. all bis great-hearted friends-iocluding De Ruyter-

prematurely dead, and be the

dark survivor, the witness. His age is not yet 21. Without fully

realizing it, the would-be hero ha, already found his choric epitaphial part.

The writing, though much

old Malay beauty called Zella.

before finally, repturously, de-sertiog Navy and civilization chorus perhaps, with a modern Horizons begin to brighten: tonsciousoess of bis own

Adventures of a Younger Son By Edward John Trelawny

Edited with an Introduction by William St Clair (Oxford, £5.50)

Edward Trelawny bas been doomed to be remembered, nor as he so passionately desired, for himself, but for his friends: Shelley. Lord Byron, the Greek freedom-fighter Odysseus, the exiled poet Walter Savage Laodor. It is a curious and Laodor. It is a curious and constant of the constant peculiarly modern fate: to have dreamed of playing the grand heroic role, and to have woken as one of the chorus—a retired sailor, a Coroish yeoman, a faintly raffish diner-out who comes only to tell other men's

Trelawny's genius, or his Trelawny's story is long, damnation, was to he in the exotic, accedetal, and boister-right place at the right time, ous : incident pursues incident and in another more journal- across 400 pages like a flock of and in another more journal—across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of pean colonial role (Trelawny it was there right from the start she wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the like the page of the chird across 400 pages like a flock of the wild across 400 pages like a flock of the like the page of the start of the chird across 400 pages like a flock of the like the page of the page of the start of the start of the start of the page of the page of the like the page of the page of the page of the like the page of the p catastrophe—the momeots of freedom. He lynches his tyran-self-dedication and death—and nical father's equally tyrannical then, alone, he came hack alive per raven, knocks down his to retount the story and em-broider the myth. Such is the substance of his best and most celebrated book, Records of Shelley, Byron, and the Author, which brought him fame in 1858 (now finely edited, with varia, in Penguin 1973). It is a brilliant, vividly evocative account of the Romantics in Italy and Greece, almost entirely false in point of detail,

vet with an anecdotal intensity that briogs incomparable life. For a later generation of literary Victorians, Trelawny gained a kind of Homeric dignity as the great survivor (he lived to be 88), and the great eyewitness. In 1874 Millais prought him a sort of an apotheosis in his portrait of the prizzled, indomitable sea-dog of The North West Passage still clasped by a willing dam. . sel; and a cootemporary maga-zine described bim as a monumental, pagan figure "who rather suggests the Lives of Plutarch than anything modern". Swinburge adored him at a safe distance, for his continued atheism and republicanism: while small nieces.

LSO/Previn

Joan Chissell

Albert Hall/Radio 3

On Saturday André Previo

tival of his own devisiog on the

be there anyway just to hear it. I admire it so much", he confessed in the Radio Time of the closing work, Walton'a Second Symphony. The graphic performance bore out his sub-

sequent remarks that he and the LSO play Walton's music throughour the world and never grow tired of it.

The short, sharp ejaculatory rhythms of the first and last

Michael Parsons and

Howard Skempton

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British Music

Paul Griffiths

less epigramatically sharpened than the "Records" of 27 years later, bas considerable force, and not merely in the narrative of action. One remembers vividly, for example, a pretise and deliciously savoury descrip-tion of making fresh coffee, in more dariog and more familiar, the mussulman manner, on a made him prove be could still charcoal fire io a tin pot; or a protest in the former sound almost as strong as in the first symphony. But the warmth of

of-hand. Before the interval, Vladimir Ashkenazy rejoined this orchestra and conductor in the sun of Ischia was there, too; Prokofier's demanding 2nd Piano Concerto in G minor, sometimes in outsize cadenzas climaxes in the slow movement were luxuriant, with all the seosuous magic drawn from the scoring both here and in the almost suggesting that his piano was an orchestra io crossed the river to start a fes-still more exotic eighth and rival of his nown devising on the ninth variations in the finale. If itself. Wheo Cherkassky played it receptly on the South Bank, one was perbaps more aware of that element of drollery, grotesqueness, or "exaggerated expressiveness" that first upset the resonant hall slightly con-fused semiquaver figuration in

tused semiquaver figuration in the fugato, there was still on mistaking the essectial Walton thrust and sting.

"If I weren't conducting, I'd be there anyway just to hear is admire it as Strings was new to the Proms. Arnold's unfailing understandinstrumeotal potential iog of showed itself in the virtuoso writing of the mercurial first movement (with one or two echoes of Poulenc) and the swirling dauce-like fioale, but equally in the expressive melody

of the slow movement. The soloist, Peter Lloyd, found movements came over with some nice intimate contilena as hit more vodka at the wedding enough bite to make the note of well as the necessary sleight hut always neat and dapper.

vanced" and "conservative". There are also catalogues and other publications documenting the state of music in other countries. Al! these materials are housed in a room which, though not large makes an acceptable.

jogimate recital-hall. This was the venue on Thurs-Anyone interested io the music of this country should know about the British Music Information the two composers played his mation Centre at 10 Stratford own plann music, and they per-Plate, W1 The library, which is formed together io duos for open to the public, holds an ex-drums, voices and cello and tensive collection of scores and accordion. Both of them work tapes, known and unknown, pub-lished and unpublished, "ad-simple roythmic figures, re-

peated chords, two-note harmonies and so on-laid out in forms that are often square and symmetrical. Their music has the naivety, but also the hrutish unreasonableoess, of a stubborn

Parsons gives the more evidence of talent: there were even momeots of flair in his Joplinesque Ragtime, and other pieces showed a competent, if simplified, handling of techniques drawn from Terry Riley and Steve Reich. But such considerations seem quite alien to an art that doggedly disregards cooventional standards of skill in creation and execution.

Some of the notices in this page are reprinted from Saturday's later editions.

Understandable fad

Hearty-crafty ATV

Leonard Buckley

Joan of Arc had her Voices. lames Stewart had Harvey, and io this play by Julia Jones last night Ronald had his imaginary Mum. It was a perfectly understandable completely incommunicable, entirely fetuous fad.

Ronald, you see, was a practical chap who yearned to be a philosopher. He was excellent at putting up shelves but what really bothered him were the levals of existence. So since he was no Wittgenstein he hit on a strategical whom his wife a simple plan. Wheo his wife went off to ber evening classes in hasketwork and rhythmic movement he would turn on the telly for inspiration and settle down to cosy, one-sided Socratic dialogues with the lady who had died before he could remember her. He could not do his think-ing silently. He needed, as he put it, to vocalize.

Lilian, of course, scarcely uoderstood. But a loog marriage So while she listened happily enough to her preteotious companions at the institute Ronald. equally happily, listened to bis own pretentious self at home. the arrangement could have gone on indefinitely had or oever watched yourself in not a post newcomer to the the bathroom mirror talking to evening classes wormed her somebody else.

way ioto the house, discovered Ronald's secret and put it about that be was mad.

The development of this theme and its sequel were in capable hands with Vivian Matalon directing Nicholas Palmer's production nearly and Ray White designing loteriors just right for the plot, Richard Briers as Ronald hit into his words with those brow-knitting spurts of exasperation and en-lightenment he manages so well, while Diana Coupland, in a more gentle part than television usually allows her, played Lilian with subtle skill. The newcomer with subtle skill. The newcomen fell to Maureen Pryor who made her, as she was meant to co, a mischief-making night-mare and a mooumental bore.

This blood sister of the Old Man of the Sea produced the strongest impact as did the play's demonstration in passing play's demonstration in passing of how ready we are to think the worst of our friends. But essentially it was a comedy hased on the private areas of buman behaviour. And if in that respect it was not wholly satis-fying you could still salute yet again this writer's skill in probing heneath the surface of people and relationships. You could, of course, bave dismissed the whole thing as non-Bense. But perhaps you never bad your own domestic foilles

Madam Butterfly Coliseum

Alan Blyth

Richard Holmes

It is, altogether, a straoge

book which could easily he mis-

taken for something more com-mooplace than it really is. In one direction, a clear line of derivatives flow up through Captain Marryat, Sax Rohmer,

C. S. Forester, and even the Fleming of Dr No. But in another direction there is a darker, more iotroverted, more literary tradition which profoundly challenges the European colonial role (Trelawny does it with unsparing fetrority.

fidelity, and "masculine' buman courage. This sounds

Edward Trelawny, then, is a

tragedy. This excellent new edi-

tion of his Adventures by Wil-

liam St Clair, restores certain

fruity phrases, and occurrentes from his original manuscript.

charts bis erratic tropical sea

runs, and glosses his nautical and Angio-Indian alang. A special irony lies io store for readers who thought they knew

Trelaway of old. Very receot research in the Royal Navy log

books preserved in Somerset

House oow show that seaman Trelawny never in fact deserted

at Bombay. On the contrary, the record shows he served the Navy faithfully until his dis-

charge at the age of 20, so that his piratical, freedom-loving ad-

ventures tura out to he, in the strict seose, pure fiction after all. "A liar and a cad", the biographer Harold Nitolson once wrote of bim. Yes: sod so I suppose was that aarlier

witness of the Romantics, the

Ancient Mariner with his glit-

the Soviet authorities. Ashkenazy's characterization was

more aristocratically classical, with detail always subjugated

to the larger design. But it was

hreathtaking pianism, alike in brilliance and tonal and tex-

tural ahading, with a compa-

triot's response to the rocking

Kijé Suite, as recently on the

South Bank perbaps needing a hit more vodka at the wedding,

Russian theme of the fioale. As an opener there was the Soviet Prokofier's Lieutenant

teriog eve.

After three nights of impro-vised staging while some of the staff were in dispute with the to normal for the revival of last season's new Butterfly on Saturday evening. Without time for proper rehearsal there were oaturally ecough one or two lighting mishaps, but that are season's new Butterfly on Saturation in the wings. Can't a more plausible means of "distancing" her voice he devised? In the first act ooe is perhaps too conscious of the artifice in the first act one is perhaps. Trelawny has a genuinely romaotic delight in exotic sceoes, and one frequently finds his own, seadog varsioo of the Miltonic effect: "She was a heautiful copper-fastened brig, built of Malabar teak by the person of Porpher freighted lighting mishaps, but that apart Colin Graham's production, so autheoric, so thoughtful, yet so directly sensitive in John Fraser's warmly evocative, practical sets, is one of the best reasons for seeing the old war-horse, because no work in the repertory has bad its reputa-tion so unjustly tarnisbed in the Parsees of Bombay, freighted with cotton, wool, a few cases of opium, pearls from Arahia, sharks' fios, hirds' nests, and oil from the Lackadive islands, with four or five sacks of past hy indifferent staging as

Puccini's masterpiece. Masterpiece? Well, that is what it sounds like when coo-ducted with such flair and understanding as by David Lloyd-Jooes—apart from a ten-dency, surely caused by enthu-siasm for Puccini's glorious orchestration, to overlay his singers (admittedly more noticeahle in the first two acts heard at the hack of the stells than in the third, listened to from the middle). Whereas last season be seemed to hold back some of the Puccinian emotional "lift", it was there right from the start

aod Debussy, was given its full due in the marvellous orchestral playing. When Puccini has such ardent advocates, he needs no apologist.

Ava June's Cio-Cio San is again touching. She bas lost the unbecoming hat in which she was previously wed but still sings ber entrance obviously ber portrayal—the little-girl act does not quite became Miss June these days—and tha voice hereabouts had an uncomfortable "beat" in it. However, in the second act, from about "Ooe fine day" onwards, she caught ber audience with her geoerous, finely timed acting and singing, and ber death was truly moving.

Robert Perguson, still in an impossible wig, is now a much freer and easier Pinkerton, both vocally and dramatically, with a strong Italianiate ring to his tone. Anne Collins, the new Suzuki, is entirely sympathetic, as is John Kitchiner's properly exasperated Sharpless.

The small part playing again

The small part playing again showed the strength of the present company. Ashton Smith's warm yet ridiculous Yamadori, William Meson's raging, imposing Bonze, Kerry Jenkins's lizard-like Goro and Shelagh Squires's teoder Kate

like a bleak born, up through the cosy Victorian fogbanks, to-wards Joseph Conrad. 80th Prom Season Albert Hall/Radio 3

Joan Chissell

Wagner's Rienzi overture opened the first Promenade concert conducted by Sir Heory Wood on August 10, 1895, and it served again to launch Saturday's coocert given by the BBC Symphony Orchestra under Charles Mackerras in booour of the entry of the Proms ioto their eightieth year.

Instead of continuing with that bitry 1895 inaugural miscellaoy, including "Lucy Long" and Schubert's Serenade played as bassoon and cornet solos respectively, Seturday's four-com-poser programme demonstrated how taste and standards have monly succulent. Chopin's F m wheo a ticket io the unreserved introduced the your standards have monly succulent. helcony for the 10 weeks could be bought for a guices, and so ordioary member of the Queeo's Hall orchestra earoed £2 5s for six concerts (plus three re-hearsals) with the option, of course, of sending a deputy on the night if sociething better turned up.

streamers, even a Unioo Jack. made it clear that Saturday's new generation of promenaders were bent oo a party. The big chance to let down their hair came at the end in a group of Slavonic Dances by Dvorak, music so often subjected to palm-court distortion that these paim-court distortion that these exuterantly tingling, nostalgic but stylish performances (including two encores) under a Czech specialist like Mr Mackerras were something to remember. Since Mr Meckerras has been still more closely associated with Janecek, his Taras Rulla proved another his Taras Bulba proved another collector's piece in its expressive coocentration and integration. With the BBC Symphony Orchestra on its mettle throughout, Wagner's expansive melody in Rienzi also emerged uncom-

Chopin's F mioor concerto introduced the young American pianist, Craig Sheppard, to the Proms. Sectiment sometimes degeocrated into sectimentality because of phrasing insufficiently strong in sense of direc-tion, with too much rhythmic yielding eo route. But artistic immaturity was offset by some urned up.

pretty aqueous sonority from
All the same a boater or two, prize-winning fingers.

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Mark Rascovich

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to seize prize he has not yet won

Clemmons, North Carolina, Aug
11,—Lee Trevino had a hirdle at
the final hole yesterday to take a
lead of ona stroka after three
rounds of the United States Professional Golfers' Associadon
champion at the Tanglewood Club.

fessional Golfers' Associadon champion at the Tanglewood Club. Trevino, striving firt his first wio in this important event, had a round of 68 (two ooder par) on a warm, sunny day and finished with a total of 207. Jack Nicklaus snd tha South African, Bohby Cole. are second at 208.

Frank Beard and Hubert Grean are tied at 209. Gary Player, of South Africa, was unabla to get a birdie and went one over par at three holas, for a 73. Joho Schlee, the leader after the first two days, went roood to 75. They are at 210 leven par) with David Hill and Leonard Thompson.

Trevioo started with birdies at the first and second holas, holing 15ft putts on each. He was two over at the fourth, driving linto a hunker, blasting out short, and taking three putts from 30ft.

On the second nine. Trevino managed hirdies at the 13th and 14th holes, bolling a 20ft putt at the 14th. He lost a stroke at the 16th after heing brukered, but achieved a birdie at the 18th with a four iron approach to four feet. For the final round he said: "i'll be going for hroke. I've nevar won the PGA and I want it".

Cole traissed a chance of tying for the lead when he was one over the PGA and I want it".

Cole missed a chance of tying for the lead when he was one over par at the 18th. He was sbort of the green in two, pitched to four feet and missed. The 445-yard ninth also caught him out. He missed the green with his approach, and his pitch from the rough fringe rolled cross the green. He chipped back and needed two putts. needed two putts.

Cole, who has not yet won a tournament in the United States,

said he believed he was playing better than ever, and planned to "attack" the course. "Over the years, I realize I oe been playing too conservadve ". Nicklaus was not as sharp as he would have liked to be, but credited his chipplog game with an even par 70. He played the first nine in one over par, had a hirdie at the par five 14th with a pitch to one foot and finished the remaining eight holes to par figures.



Lee Treving: his beart set no

Player said of his 73: "1 played pretty well, hur when you hit it lo pretty well, all woen you int it to the rough, you have troubles. All you can do is pitch it out, and that's happening to me. I just didn't seem to have any zlp loday." He took two putts at all the greens except the 16th, where he missed the green, chipped to two feet and managed to save two feet and managed to save

par.
Third round (US unless stated);
207: L. Travino, 75, 60, 68.
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(8A), 69, 68, 71.
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68, 68, 75. 68, 68, 13.

100 O. Hill 74, 69, 67; L. Thompson, 60, 11, 70; C. Playor, 15A; 73, 64, 73; J. Schloe, 68, 67, 75.

211 S. Snead, 69, 71, 71, 212; D. Sles, 73, 71, 68; M. Rudolph, 70, 72, 10.

231; A. Jacklin (GB), 73, 72, 76. 224; R. Charles (NZ), 72, 75, 77,— Reuter,

Trevino's bold attempt Barnes's title as rain halts final round

Barnes, B British Ryder Cnp player, was declared the winner of the Dutch Open golf championship bere today after play had been abandoned in the final round hecause of torrential rain. Barnes, whose third round of 71 had given him a total of 211 (11 under par), received a prize of £2,900. It washis first important victory since the Martin event in 1972.

Joint runners-up. five strokes behind, were Peter Costerbuis and Eddie Polland and a New Zealander, Simon Owen, each of whom won £1,460. Fifth place was shared by Dale Hayes, of South Africa, and Simon Hobday, of Rhodesia, both on 218.

Play was halted this morning Play was halted this morning when several greens were under water. The players then on the course marked their balls and an inspection was set for midday. The tournament administrator later annouoced: "A meeting of the champlonship committee, after examining the state of the course decided it was unfit for play and that no play would be possible for the rest of the day. As a resuli prizes will be awarded on the third day's placings."

Barnes's overnight lesd of one

Barnes's overnight lesd of one stroke over Hobday was improved with a birdle at the first hole yesterday, but be dropped three strokes with a six at the second, where he was plugged in a hunker, and a five at the fourth. At that stage Donald Swaelens, who started out five behind him, had caught bim with hirdes at the first, secood and fifth, but the Belgian hit two drives out of bounds to take eight at the sixth.

bounds to take eight at the sixth.

Barnes was soon back in his stride and hirdies at the long sixth and seventh and another at the ninth, where he holed from 25 feet, saw him out in 36. He achieved three more hirdies on the way home and mok five at the long 18th in spite of driving into the trees.

Oosterhuis dropped a stroke at Oosterhuis dropped a stroke at the third but bad a birdie at tha sixth, 12th and 17th. Owen, who heat Oosterhuis in a sudden-death play-off for the German Open offe a week ago, was out in 37 and Polland in 38. Polland had hirdies at the 13th and 16th and Owen, the 18th.



Brian Barnes: Finished five strokes clear of the field.

LEADING SGDRES (GB unless stated)

OnUMPELLER: Scottish professional channionsbig, second round: 139, D. Huish i North Barwicki, 71, 68; 140, B. T. Weiker (Downled), 72, 40, B. T. Weiker (Downled), 72, 40, B. Gallachar (Wantworth), 71, 70; J. Panion (Genbergel, 70, 77, A. Horner (Tullialian), 70, 71; 142, B. Kyla (Turberry Hole), 71, 71, 160, McCast (Honly, 71, 71, 71, 160, McCast (Honly, 71, 71, 71, 160, McCast (Honly, 71, 71, 71, 143, R. Shade (Duddingston), 73, 70.

Cricket .

Improving fast bowling for Australia

Cricket Correspondent

LORD'S: Pakistan, with sevent second innings wickets in hand, lead England by 33 runs.

By sheer hard work Pakistan hauled themselves back into the second Test match on Saturday. Until well into the evening the storms which might have given them another nasty pitch for bat-ting somehow missed the ground, and without them England's attack, for the most part, was nothing to be alarmed about. In deciding what happens now

this morning will be crucial. If Pakistan lose no more than one wicket hefore lumbeon they have

Pakistan lose no more than one wicket hefore lumbeon they have enough batting left to leave England with quite a substantial score to win, which would give Pakistan a winning chance themselves. If a couple of them get out quickly England should not he put to too much trouble.

Time was when Pakistan, with three of their best batsmen gone, on a grey Saturday afternoon and still facing a deficit of over 50 runs, would have expired by the weekend. At 77 for three they had lost Majid, Zaheer and Sadiq, the last two looking rather as though they thought tha umpira could have have been wrong. But, although it may not have seemed so during their collapse on Thursday, this is a spirited Pukistan side, and in Wasim Raja thay have found a spiendldd acquisition. A left-hander, be has a lovely swing of the bat. With Mushraq ha had

There was a chance given by Wasim Raja to Knott, off Underwood, when he was 40, and two or three times Musbraq had to admonish his young partner for hooking dangerously at Old and Arnold. The crowd could see as clearly what was going on as If Musbrag The crowd could see as clearly what was going oo as if Mushaaq had rapped Wasim across the knuckles with a rulat. But it was good cricket by these two and it has given Pakistan new bope; not exciting cricket to watch, but essential to a cause. For the Salanday tial to a cause. For the Saturday of a Test match, the attendance was a little disappointing, perhaps because of the strange preference of some to see a bout of listicuffs

What has been rather shown up in this Test match—for the first ome since West Indics—Is how ordinary Eogland's bowling can look on a slow pitch. Underwood has tad a good three days, routing Pakistan on a turning wicket on Thursday and caosing them more concern than anyone else on Saturday. Tha fast attack has been less impressive. Until oow Old. Arnold and Hendrick bava enjoyed all the success this season, with 60 wickets hetween them in four and a half Test matches, which they were denied last winter. Here at Lord's, though, in the first bour of tha match and again on Saturday, they were sufficiently up-and-down for the question to he asked as to what improvements might he made for Australia.

The chances are that four fast What has been rather shown up

an outside chance of the selectors choosing a fifth, at the expense of a spin bowler. This is unlikely enough to assume for the mament that there will be only four. Old will obviously be one. Arnold, 25 the best user of the seam, makes two. Which leaves two (unless it is three) to assume the work of the seam. is three) to come from Hendrick, Willis, Peter Lever, Snow and

Of those not playing at Lord's the likeliest, I think, to have made an impression, on current form, would have been Lever. He is would have been Lever. He is contriving, at almost 34, to look a genuinely fast bowler as distinct from fast medium. In Australia last time be did the donkey work and did it well. Used this time as a spearhead, he could give the selectors their best chance of strengthening the present attack. Because of what he has done for England this summer. Hendrick

Because of what he has done for England this summer, Hendrick will be unlucky not to go. Ian Chappell, on seeing him bowi at Headiogly for the first time, thought he most closely resembled Max Walker, who has come to the lop in Australia since MCC were there last. But Walker was much niore effective in West Indies when he toured there with the Australians than Hendrik was with MCC. In the search for extra pace, and lians than Hendrik was with MCC. In the search for extra pace, and because be did well in Australia when lie came out to reloforce Illiogworth's side, 1 am inclued to think that Willis may get the fourth place with the fifth, if there is onc, going to Hendrick—the third having gone to Lever.

But you have forgotten Snow,

appeared in the bowling an appeared in the bowling average on Saturday morning, with a wickets at 20.92 apiece, figure which are just sufficient to my worry of wondering whether he going to slip himself, and deciding with enough amountion to make a case for sending him.

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a case for sending him.

This is the thing with 500% he is still considered by most first clas batsmen to be the English bowler they would least like in meet with his backles up, while most of them would admit is not the same thing as backing him to how! for their lives in Antitals. To have three fast bowless (Arnold, Lever and Snow) in the thirties in the same touring patry would be unwise, and is unlikely to be done. to be done.

PAKISTAN: First Innings, 130. 9 dec (D. L. Underwood & for 20)

Second Innings
Sadic Molammas, I-b-w, h Arnoid
Majid Khan, I-b-w, h Undarwood
Zholas, C Graig, h
Undarwood
Mushtaq Mohammas, not out
Wasim Raja, not out
Extras (I-b 4, n-b 7) Total (3 wkts)
Ash igbal, imran khan, e min
Alam, f Washn Bari, Sarinaz Man
Ash Masood to bat.
PALL DF WICKETS: 1—65, 2—6

80WLING (to data): Arnold, 14-1-33-0; Has-rick, 15-4-28-0; Undervond, 23-9-2-2; Greig, 8-3-18-0. ENDLAND: First Innings, 28 (A. P. S. Knott 83).
Umpires: D. Constant and C. 200

maining eight boles to par figures for a 34. Mrs Rankin drives well to keep clear of her rivals

By Peter Ryde Golf Correspondent

Judy Rankin heat everyone except par, at Sunningdale, on Saturday and collected 14,000 from Colgate, the tournament sponsors, who, obligingly, paid all tax on the bigger prizes, as an added bonus.

Three birdles eatily on from Mary Mills, her American compatriot, threatenad her position in the lead, but in the closing stages Mrs Rankin came through as a true winner, going from strength to strength. Her eventual margin of five strokes would have been wider still if she could have taken advantage of the birdic chances she gave berself, all within 10ft at four holes from the

12th.
The winner probably remains an indeperminate figure in the minds of the thousands who came to watch, because site retires into a shell of concentration, but this
Is one of the strong points of her
game. One reason why she enjoyed
Sunningdale so much was because
"It is the kind of course that
makes you play one shot at a
time". leaving no room for

Cowes Week ended quietly yesterday with reduced flects to all classes after seven days of varied conditions for a multitude

varied conditions for a multitude of starters in both handicap and One-Design classes. The principal supporters of the One-Designs were nearly all local hoats yesterday and for them it was like an ordinary Sunday'a racing. Only 31 boats started in the Royal Corinthian Yacht Club's all-in handicap for classes 1, 2 and 3, an entry that was exceeded easily by all three classes in the individual racea last week.

Week ends with the tradificational fireworks party on the Friday night. This year's party was a damp affair and for much of the week the weather was, at hest, unseasonable. On Saturday many

of the bigger yachts set off on the RORC race to Cork and others left for their home ports. Those that were teft raced in a handlcap for classes 1, 2 and 3 which was won by Edward Heath's Morning Cloud giving het first place for the third successive day.

Yesterday's race, of two rounds within sight of Cowes and totalling 25 miles, was won by Christopher

third successive day.

Yachting

the professionals generally to work on every stroke, but Mrs Rankin has it to a marked degree. Fallure to beat par in a rournament is not an implied cridcism. Neither in the US Open nor the US Women's Open was par beaten by the winning score; only Gary Player beat it in the Bridsh Open. High scoring, telative to par, more often stamps quality on an event than the reverse, and the test that the

stamps quality on an event than the reverse, and the test that the women were set last week on the Old course was of championship standard. Coming in a strange country and so soon after their own Open, it may bave seemed a little too mucb for some of them. "This course", the widner said, "imposes as great a penalty on a bad shot as anywhere I can think of in the world. If we, in America, always played this kind of course we should all become better drivers, because too often in our country you can stand on a in our country you can stand on a tee and safey hit the hall any-where ". Fortunately for her, she drove well all the week. After dropping four strokes to Miss Mills, who played the first three

Unseasonable Cowes Week ends quietly

She crossed the fireishing line in fifth place, the first boats to finish being Synergy (D. McCowen) and the German entries Saudade (A. Bull) and Stuntje (G.

Saudage (A. Bull) and Stunge (G. Havemann). Synergy dropped to thirteenth on handlcap and the best of the class 2 hoats was the ever constant Gumboots, finishing teeth across the line and fourth on handlean.

Rogers, but sailed by a rariety of helmsmen during the week, was easily the most successful boat to the One-toa class of the Lerei Rating Association'a series. She recorded five wins in bet six class

races, a feat also achieved by Jack Knights in Odd John in the Quarter-ton class. The Half-ton class was won by Wlody, sailed by Richard Ewart-Smith, with three wins and two second places.

Classes 1. 2 and 3 (Coronation Rowl): 1. Morning Cloud (E. Heath), shr 57min 24sec. 2. Cumboota (J. C. Pill-Pills and others), 3-24-12; 3. Carillion of Winhi (Christian Sailing Gentre), 3-44-17.

haodicap.

the best swings on tour although it is 10 years since she won the US Open and PGA championships, in successive seasons, saw ber last chance fade at the 10th where, looking for a lour, she took six after finding the heather with her second. Susan Roberts, who shared second. Susan Roberts, who shared second place with her, clearly enjoyed what was, for her, a completely new experience. It was only the last four boles that proved ber undoing, for she dropped 11 strokes to par at them in three tounds. Mrs Rankin, Miss Roberts and Miss Mills all used the smaller ball.

Best British performance (234) came from Mrs Henson, formerly Dinah Oxley, in ber modest way, she claimed that it was only Arthur Lees, the club professional, who had made her game respectable enough to compete just before the event. But class will tell and, in finishing three ahead of Angela Bonallack. Sally Barber and thinking about what has gone be- holes in four each. Mrs Rankin Suzanne Cadden, she reminded us

CLASS 3 | Bramble Cup |: 1, Sorbut IV Carringlen |: 2:11:5: 3. Billy Goal Gruff | M. Hall and P. Bennell |: 2:16:55 | 5. Coquette (J. W. Loughborough |: 316:55 | 0. D. || Fidalos Cup |: 1, Aderyn || H. E. Eyans |: 2, Cyrandic || M. S. Perrigi |: 3, St. Christopher || G. J. Schinas and Dr W. Parker |: 1G. J. Schinas and Dr W. Parker |

Yesterday

fore or about the holes to come. finally got into top geat with a of what ahe might again achiave More than one Bridsh amateur birdie at the sixth where the prewas impressed by the ability of vious day she bad taken six after competition.

the professionals generally to work her only really bad drive in two

The sponsors regard their new

vanture as a great success and the tournament will be held at Sunningdale again next year. Mrs J. Rankin (US). .72, 73

76.
34 Miss N. Smith (US), 77, 76, 76;
Miss P. Barnett (US), 76, 77, 76;
Mrs C. Rubin i France, 77, 76, 76;
Mrs M. Hagge (US), 80, 78, 72;
Miss S. Palmer (US), 70, 78, 76;
Mrs C. Boykin i Cormany, 77, 76,
79; Miss J. Ferraris (US), 71, 77, 70: Miss J. Ferraris (US), 71. 77. 83. Miss C. Manh (US), 80, 70, 72; Miss G. Post (Canada), 77, 77, 77, Miss G. A. Creed (US), 77, 77, 77, 23; Miss S. Little 'S Africa', 77, 79, 76; Miss J. Jaznierski (US), 80, 74, 76; Mrs M. Breer (US), 80, 75, 76; Mrs S. Berning (US), 81, 74, 77.

so far is beyond criticism

By Rex Bellamy Tennis Correspondent

pext waskand and possibly next year, too. They lost only one set in defeating Austria 5—0 and Sweden 4—0 the doubles was ahandoned because of rain) in an

Britain's present dominance at the reenage level owes something to the lact that Australia and the United Status have yet to compete in the Princess Sofia Cup event, which is only in its third year. But no team cao do better than defeat all the opponents assembled against them and in this respect

a more severe less than the Austrians. At times, Miss Barker and Alls Mottam, who have won a combined rotal of seven British junior singles championships, come under considerable pressure: and Miss Thompson's match with Viveca Andersson, a blonde who looked as if she had straved from tracted test of nerves and ball

CORTOL.

RESULTS Miss S. Barker heat Miss N. Anilot ne-2, 0 — 5; Miss L. J. Material heat Miss L. Signifers bell for the Miss R. Timmyton neal Miss V. Anterson 7—5, 2—6, 8—6; Miss J. Coltrell heat Miss P. Anuas bend. 6—1.

the United States clay court cham-pienships last night for allogedly prenships the treatment of ancients stalling and abusing the umplre. The second-seeded Nastase was leading the fifth-seeded Rauf Ramitee, of Mexico, 7—5, 5—5 in their ouarter-limit match when the Mecanin.

Rain has last word for

Somerset By Alan Gibson

TORQUAY: Somerset (4 pts) beat Lancashire on a faster scoring rate in rain affected match.

It is a good idea that Somersal should play a marb once a summer at Torquay, down in Devon. Torquay has long been a cricketing centre, indeed once had a first-class festival of its own. it occurs to me that this might be revived, on a smaller scale, now that one-day cricket is so much in vogue: something like a west country equivalent of the Fenner Trophy, perhaps?

There were hearly 7,000 people there yesterday, including many Lancastriens on holiday, and it was a plty that rain, spreading from the west as a prophecied by

was a pity that rain, spreading from the west, as prophesied by tha Meteorological Office, duly arrived, and reduced the match to one of those mathematical farces which are unfortunately inseparable from the John Player League. Somerset had three batsmen run out the first two nuncessarily. out, the first two nnuecessarily—
or so it seemed at the 1ma. After
a slow start against Lever and
Lee, runs came from the middla
of tha ordet—Close, Parks and
Burgess. Close hit three sixes,
which gives him 18 for the season,
a league record, and with a month
soil to go.
The pitch was slow, the hall not
coming on readily to the bat, so
167 was a fair score, promising
a close contest. But tain started
failing in the rea interval, and
increased, gradually but remorseout the first two nunecessarily-

failing in the rea interval, and increased, gradually but remorse-lessity, afterwards. The players stayed out for the 10 overs which would ensure a definite result. Under the present regulations, Lancashire needed 43 runs to win. With four balls left they needed 10, and Wood tried to hit Moseley over the midwicket boundary. It 10, and Wood tried to hit Moseley over the midwicket boundary. It is a narrow ground, and the hil looked worth six, but was marvellously caught by Denning, racing and diving for it, just inside the rope. Certainly it was a catch which deserved to win a match.

It really did seem that Lan-cashire did not become aware, sufficiently early, of what they had to do. Perhaps it was just that the hatsmen, concentrating under their caps, forgot the rain clouds or disbelieved the weather forecasters. Certainly, they could have played more forcafully in those 10 overs.

SOMERSET worth
H. R. Moseley, run oul
A. A. Jones, b Shuttleworth
R. J. Claop, not out
Extras 1b 4, 1-b 9, w 1, n-b 2

Total 19 wkis, 37 evens . . . 167
FALL OF WICKETS: 1—30, 2—73
5—73, 4—52, 5—44, 5—110, 7—144,
5—138, 9—138. BOWLING: Lever, 8—1—25—0 Lec. 8—2—20—1: Wood, 8—2—15— 2: Simmors 8—0—31—1: Lose, 2 2—5—0: Shuttevorth, 5—0—26—2 LANCASHIRE

R. Wood, c Denning, b Moschy A. Kennedy, hol out B. Pilling, nni out Salras 11-5 5. w 1 . . . TALL OF WIGHT 1-43. ROWLING: Mosnley. 5-4-4-1; Jones, 5-2-21-0. Umpires: IV. L. Raid and A. C. Fage

Minor Counties

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57; M T. Dunn 5 for 510 II Hericon67; M T. Dunn 6 for 8 for 10 for 10

Scotland v Ireland AT AYR IRELANO: First Innings

RELANCE FIRST INNINGS

R. Dinot, C. Rrown, h. Robertson
F. Short, C. J. R. Laine, h. Clark
Herrison, C. J. G. Laine, b.
Robertson
J. Anderson, c. Eliss, 0 Thomeson
Villchell, C. Portrous, b. Clark
Linahn, C. Morr., b. Clark
D. Montelth, C. Morr., b. Thompson con Union, c Condiand, h Hardie Torrens, c More, 6 Charle C. Colhoun, not out Elder, 6 Thomas on Lairas (1-6 6, w 1, n-6 7)

H. Pigot. b Thompson to F. Shori, not out the first san to Particus, not sufficiently and the first san to t SCOTLANO: FIFT INNINIA

M. & Mare, b Torrens.

11. & Mare, b Torrens.

12. S. Rrown, c Liver, h Torrein.

R. Laing, c and b Stuniesi.

13. Laing, c Anderson, h Elder.

W. Porteous, c Contril, b Torrens.

14. Litardie, c Pigat, b Torrens.

15. Lardie, c Pigat, b Torrens.

16. J. Gondand, c Lider, b
Torrens.

17. Theoretism, c Torrens. b Montelik.

Davison has the crowd chortling with glee other end turning Higgs off his fieldsmen restricting the battmen movements in a rapidly tights opening pair nimbly ran for four By Peter Marson

LEICESTER: Leicestershire 14 ptst beat Middlesex by seven wickets. heat Middlesex by seven mickets.

Leicestershire march on. Their taken saven Middlesex wickets and Grace Road yesterday was always well within range, and having taken seven Middlese wickets and respicted them to a scora of 162. Leicestershire's batsmen. with Davison, Dudleston, and Reger Tolchard leading the way, finished the thing off with 3.5 orers left. Davison's was a typically dashing innings, full of those brilliant ing innings, full of those brilliant strokes that bring the crowd to their feet chortling with glec. Appropriately, he made tha winning hit, a four through midwicket off Price, his eighth in his innings of 68 not out, made through the course of 22 overs. In partnership with Roger Tolchatd, Davison took Leicestershipe from 60 fur two to 149 for three in 20 overs. Leicestarships; posldon in the

Leiceslarshire's posidon in the John Playar League is thus much strangtheoed. Middlesey had won the loss, and Smith and Brearley gave the lunings a brisk beginning. In this the bowlers and fielders had found a little trouble keeping their feet, the ground still suffering from heaty rain on Saturday. Smith, on the back foot, splendidly cover-drove McKenzie to the boundary, and, with Radley at the

They were approaching four ruos an over when Radley fell, caugin and howled by Steele. This been a good catch low down hy Steele, and it severed a slick partnership of 60 runs in 16 overs.
Middlesex slowed a little as Brearley tried to help Smith maintain
the momentum of the innings
aga;ost the slow howling of Illingworth and Steele. After nine overs Brearley, shaping to cut, was howled by a hall that kept low from Illingworth. Smith was then

42 and playing well.

But at 105 Smith was bowled by McVicker, He had reached his 50 by now, hitting five fours in 80 minutes and 28 overs. His going meant that with Gomes at the crease with three runs, and a new hatsman, Murray, 10 join him, Aliddlesax would have to begin ogain. Murray and Gomes bad be-gun to make the right kind of noises when Gomes was brilliantly run out by Norman's throw from corer point, and, at 150 in the thirty-seventh over, Murray, who had played a ball wide of gully, may have started a little late in response to Barlow's call. He, 100, was run out by Illingworth's throw. So, with howlers and

denied the mounting excin that is customary in the tion. MIDDLESEX
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Gomes. ron out
Murray run out
Barlow. c J. Tolchard.

Higgs. Jones not oot Edmonds. c McVicker, Total (7 wkts)
T. Lamb. J. C. E. Pries. did FALL OF WICKETS: 1—60, 2—95 5—105, 4—139, 5—150, 6—135 7—158

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Devison, not out

Beideratone, not out
Extras 15 4, 1-5 111 Total 13 wkta, 36,1 overs) 165

BOWLING: Price, 7.1—2.28-b; Lamb. 8—0.33—1: Jones. 5—0. 26—0.41. Tilmus. 8—1.26-i; Edmbnds. 8—0.24—1. Umpires: R. Aspinell and A. G. 3—whitehead.

Jameson helps end Sussex run of wins dire trouble, at 28 for three in John Jameson hit an uobeaten The Warwickshire

85 in 93 minutes as Warwickshire cruised to a nine wicker victory over Sussex with 8.2 overs to spare over Sussex with 8.2 overs to spare at Edgbaston yesterday.
Sussex, with five successive Sunday wins behind them, never came to grips with the bowling after losing two wickets for 12. It took a partnership of 54 between Graves (501 and Michael Buss 132) to steer them to their eventual 136 for seven.

The Warwickshire opeoers, Jameson and Abberley, put oo 83 in 23 urcrs for the first wicket, Then Jameson, who hit three sites and nine fours, made 47 of the last 57 runs required.

The Worcestershire seam bowler, Paul Builden book four Forey Paul Pridgeon, took four Essex wickets for only nine runs in his first 26 balls at Worcester to help

reply to Worcestershire's 142 for - in appearance of the season, Pridgeo then reduced Essex to 44 for sere and had final figures of four for the country of the country o first 26 balls at Worcesiet to help bis side gain a 38-run victory.

The 20-year-old Pridgeon came on when Essex were already in saving ninth wicket partnership;

Warwick v Sussex

Total 158.4 overs1 . . . 136

**FALL OF WEXETS: 1-11, 2-17, 7-17, 4-61, 5-79, 6-19, 7-121, 5-125, 10-156, 4-125, 10-156, 10-15

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GLAMORGAN

A. Jones, b Roone
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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

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Tail, feb.w, b Graveney
(Villey, b Frocter
P. J. Watta, b Davey
Cook, not out
Larking, l-b-w, b Procter
C. Sharp, run out
Hodgson, b Procter
Extras (b 10, l-b 6)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1—6. 3—18 1001d

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B. Nicholls, run our

D. W. Knight, b. Hodgson

J. J. Procter, c and b Cottan

B. Shocherd, c Dye, b Hodgson

J. Hignell, ibw, b Bed

A. S. Hrwn, r Cook, b Bed

C. Foat, b Bed

Osvey, b Refi

H. Olkon, r Willey, b Cottan

Lytras rb 1, -b 5, w 11

Total : 56.1 evers 19.

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6-121. 9-133. 10-156.

ROWING: Collam 6 1-16.

0vc. 6-217-1; Hodgson 6.

11-2: Watts 1-0 3-0; Bed. 8.

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Saturday's scores

CHELTENHAM: Giguenslarshire, for 3 160.2 overs (R. B. Nichells & Northells & Northells (R. B. Nichells & Northells & Northells (R. B. Nichells & Northells & Northells

Wilson's second makes him No 1 in world

Alex Wilson, of Medway Yacht Club, in Wendella, became Way farer world champlon when the gained second place in the final race in the series of three at Hay-ling Island yesterday. He won an earlier race on Thursday. Gale-force winds caused the cancellacion of Saturday's race.

cancellation of Saturday's race, but yesterday cooding were pleasant outside Clitchester Herbour in Hayling Bay. The wind never exceeded force four Alex Stone, sailing Cornish Mustard, won and came second overall. Six competitors shared the lead throughout, changing positions frequently with the wind shifts.

MALMOE. Sweden: Cuarter ton the series: 1. Account Sweden: 10hr Symmet. 2. Qubble Bubble tites: Hermany: 3. Zachi France. Brilish placing: 12. Runaway Robber M. P. Richardson: Richardson's BURNHAM! Draoons: 1. Flaplics IM Pattent: 2. Chicadore (P. C. Newlum: 5. Vana (B. K. Merkillet, Solings: 1. Availanche (T. Wader: 2. Tiara (T. Cannina: 5. Cochaice (A. Care), R80D women's see: 1. Quarizing, Mondy: 2. Rediacter (P. And T. Herring): 3. Annetic (London Hospital).

Squash rackets

shifts. FNAL RACE: 1. Comish Mustard A. Biono, Salcomber 2. Neondella (A. 1713on, Medway), 5. Minegeri (A. 1713on, Medway), 4. Numble (A. 18mble /P. Shanks, Hamble River) Hamble /P. Shanks, Hamble River, Litumdillah I. J. Jones, 195. Gwest A. Mark H. J. Jones, 195. OVERALL: 1. Wendelt: 2. Comish Mustard: 3. Nipeges; 4. Jark (I. 5. Nimble ol Hamble: 0. Pricky Urchan (J. Doett, Ogslon).

yacht. France, to determine the America's Cup challenger next month.
George R. Hinman, manager of the Mariner syndicate, has announced that he is taking himself off the helm of Valiant, one of

row beat R. Mothoran, 7—2, 7—7, 15—0, 15—5; H. Yahan (Patilisan) beri II. Daly, 15—1, 15—10, 15—11,

the past week.

CLASSES 1. 2 and 3 (Royal Corin-thian Challenge Cup); 1. Marbonole (C. A Ountime); 325-5; 2. Saudade (A. Bull, Oermany); 327-36, 3, Siuntho V (Dr G. Haveman, Germany); 326:13, 1; 1, Liverbird (W. S. Higson); 2-5:18; 3, Capricante (P. F. Barton); 134:32, Capricante (P. F. CLASS 5: 1, Sorbul V. Carrington); 2-5:10; 3, Moorraker (J. H. Holl); 2-5:11; 3, Throbber (R. Hookins); 25.30. 2. Moorraker J. H. Holl).
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Southern Cross damaged in America's Cup trials

tross and her trial horse, Gretel
it, because of high winds.
Southern Cross was scheduled
to be hauled out of the water for
an overhaul and bottom painting an overhaul and bottom painting today, but it was decided to bring this forward because of the damage. Brian Leary, manager of the Australian America's Cup syndicate, said: "We're not losing any time or changing our work programme. We're just moring things ahead 24 hours".

Southern Cross will not said

Southern Cross will not sail again until she has been measured next Thursday by the Royal Thames Yacht Club, who will ruo Australian boat and the French

Newport, Rhode Island, Aug 11.

The Australian America's Cup hope, Southern Cross, was hauled out of the water last night after sustaining slight damage during trials. A double block used in trimming one of the back stays, which help support the mast, was pulled away from the hull by a strong gust ut wind.

Earlier, the Australians cancelled a race between Southern Cross and her trial horse, Greich is directly and the product of the sample of the to one of the younger men. Mariner and Vallant are both con-sidered cutriders in the campalga to aclect the defender, although Mariror has shown a considerable improvement, with her remodelled stern and higger ruddet, during

The outhol: however, is for the early elimitation of Startner and Valuat, which would set the stage for a memorable trials series be-tween Intropid and Courageous.—

Sarlar ((\$), (-), (1-), (-0), (-0), Atlins heal L. Greene (NZ), 9-0.

JOHANNESSURG: South Michael analeur champled-bip. I linat. P. Aylon (1916) boot S. Machel (SA), 5—2.

Tennis

Britain's showing

Five British teenagers will fly to Valencia tomorrow so that they to Valeocia tomorrow so that they can have two days of practice hefore defending the Princess Sofia Cup from Friday until Sunday. This is a tennis competition for national teams of girls who were under 18 at the beginning of the year. Two of the British ream, Susan Barker (Devon) and Belinda Thompson (Cheshire), are now 18 and will not be eligible next season. The others—Linda Mottram and Jill Cottrall, hoth aged 17. of Surrey, and Michela Tyler, aged 16. of Kent—will soll be available.

There is reasonable cause to ex-

There is reasonable cause to ex-pect Britain to retain the trophy

on Saturday.

That experience was of more value to Britain than the scores may suggest. The nervnus strain of international team compention is foimitable. Besides halping the youngsiers to mature as match players, the Princess Sofia Cup event is a useful preparadon for the challenges of such senior contests as the Annie Solsbault (under 21), Wightman and Federation Cup competitions.

Britain's present dominance at

Britain's performance has so iar been beyond criticism. Predictably, the Swedes provided

Indianapolys, Aug 11.-Roma nla's tempestuous tennis player, ille Nastase, was disqualified from umpire. William Mecani awarded the match to Ramirez.

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FOWLING: Willia, H-1-25-1.

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M. Goss, Scientes Consultation (Consultation Consultation Umpires 13. H. Pope and A. E. G. Rhodes.

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Surrey v Glamorgan

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Horse show

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Dublin, Aug 11

Grand Prix

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Smith's win on Salvador in the opening competition of the show on Tuesday, but team events deter-mine a nanon's class, and Britain's

mine a nation's class, and Britain's performance in retaining the Aga Khan Trophy, thus increasing their international lead, is infinitely better for their prestige.

IRISH GRAMO PRIX: 1, W. Brown's Sandsablaze (US); 2, P. Robeson's Grebe: 3. D. Broome's Sportsman.

INTERNATIONAL TEAM RELAY: 1, West Gromany; 2; Ireland; 3, US, IRISH DISTILLERS' SIX 2AR GOM-PETITION: 1, R. Jenking's life Olica; 2, Maior R. D'inzeo's Believue; 3, F. Ligges's Trohnotics Trophy: 1 and 3. E. Moschen's Oatheld Hills and Easter Perfacter's Oatheld

E. Macken'2 Oaifield Hills and Easter Parade: 2. R. Jenkins's Number Dne Spy. GUINNESS GOLD TANKARD: D'Inzeo. GUINNESS SILVER TANKARD: Jen-kins.

Pony power tells

By Andrew Porter
The Indian Army polo team, winners of the Sudan Cup last Tuesday at Windsor against the British Army, suffered a narrow defeat at Cirencester yesterday. Cirencester won 4—34, the Indians receiving a start of half a goal, but the honours were equally divided.

The Vesty brothers, Mr Dooglas Brown, and Mr Horswell had pro-vided pomes for the Indian Army.

vided pomes for the Indian Army, and extremely good ponies they were, yet the real tribute to Indian horsemanship lay in the fact that the four players became acquainted with their pomes only just before the mstch. It was remarkable to see how quickly each rider adapted himself to his mount.

V. P. Singh played B wonderful

V. P. Slugh played B wonderful game throughout and each member of his team dropped perfectly luto the changing situation of the play. A penalty from 40 yards gave India the first goal and immediately afterwards the same award to Cirencester levelled the store. Then V. P. Singh cut through to hit a splendid goal. At the end of the second period the hall was left dead in front of Cirencester's gnal according to the

of Indian Army

in defeat

By Andrew Porter

IStrajootball

Clubs should be hit where it hurts or conduct unbecoming the game

Geoffrey Green What was intended by the Footwpiece by the elevation of their arity Shield match between eds United, the League chambles, and Liverpool, the FA Cupulders, to Wembley Stadium, in the end fioished in the gutter.

deeds returned to the cynical deeds returned their hard climb and the top. Liverpool, too, for once lowed themselves to be pulled, town into the mire. The fact that Liverpool finally a 6-5 oo penalty kicks after the ne bad ended 1-1 mattered withing. By then foothall itself them dragged shamefully longh the mud, leaving all sughtful people to fear for the ure.

The tree of the control of the contr et Leeds penalty arca, being the Leeds penalty arca, being the trace by the referee (himself leeds all the tricks of the trade), the leeds with authority, and even-

That, in itself, would have been bugh to disgust. Bot both men prounded the felony as they gan the long walk to the dresground to the shirts they should be a shirt the ground, where it lay ared a sway by a linesman. It have a should be a should be a shirt the ground, where it lay ared a sway by a linesman. It have a should be a should be



Authority flouted. Hupter tries in stop the clash that led to Bremner and Keegan being sent off.

affair in the World Cup of 1966.

Both Bremner and Keegan should now be given a hard period of suspension. But that is not enough. The blame should be wider. If clubs are held respones hooked.

adly, Keegan could have heen man of the match. Leeds emily realized this by half-time I seemed intent on eliminating 1 by fair means or foil. They is the unfair method, finally iding the littir Liverpool man 2 bot-beaded retaliation with the dire consequences for see who consider themselves we the law.

lever before had Wembley with sed such a disgrace as two fish players for the first time to dismissed from the stadium.

The harder they are hit where It thurts most, the hetter—either through their pockets, with beavy fines, or by deducting points from a club's League total. That might make everybody think twice.

One way or another, a solution has to be found if the game is to

year after a highly successful European tour, which augurs well for their prospects in the next Olympic Games, as holders of the team silver medal.

Imit's old maestro, Major Raimondo d'inzeo, wound up the week here as the leading rider to win the Guimness Gold Tankard with 35 points. The silver tankard for the runner-up in the points championship went to the American professional, Rodney Jenkins, with 30; "Buddy" Brown was third with 26. Yesterday Jenkins (who finished fourth in the Grand Prix) won the Irish Distillers' sixbar compeniion on Idle Dice with four clear rounds, defeating D'Inzeo on the 17-year-old Bellevue, who rolled a pole in the fourth round.

Eddic Macken, the bero of the home side as runner-up for the men's world championship, had his first victory of the week on Oatfield Hills in the John Higgins Trophy, heating Jenkins on Number One Spy. Britain's individual victories were confined to Harvey Smith's win on Salvador in the opening competition of the show The final sanction may be for all reasonable people simply to stay away and let ritual violence destroy itself.

For the record, Boersma scored for Liverpool before the interval and Cherry for Leeds midway through the second half, leaving the wretched Harvey to miss the penalty that gave Merseyside the stained afternoon. LIVERPOOL: R. Girmence: milh. A. Lindsay. P. Thomoson. undes. P. Gormeck. K. Keepan. all. S. Helehway. P. Zocrena. allaghan.

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LEEOS UNITED: D. Harrey; P. Reaney, T. Gherry, W. Brenner, G. McQueen, N. Hunter, P. Loriner, A. Clarke (sub. B. McKenzie), J. Jordan, J. Glica, E. Gray,

Referee: R. Matthewson (2010))

'ascoe deserves trust of selectors

iletics Correspondent leoffrey Capes, Alan Pascoe I Lesley Klernan await the ionnement today of the British

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about the sport in the past.

A team of between 60 and 70 sthletes for Rome may cost close to £20,000. I bope it will be no more than 60 because competing in the European championships should be a reward for outstanding ability and an accurate reflection of Britain's current strength in athletics. But one is bound to feel sympathy for most athletes who feel that to bave beaten the qualifying standards should be enough to earn them selection.

Three experienced athletes I

reflection

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proved late on Saturday evening when be related the sequence of phrases implanted in his mind as purases implanted in his mind as he heaves the 161b ball.

He said; "It goes like this. Relax, right foot, left foot one, two. When the left foot is down then drive up, look for the sky. Left shoulder high then whip-hipmovement." You accelerate with speed, the arm movement is fast, there's a final finger snap. It's all logical but It's only sometimes that it all comes together. flows. that it all comes together, flows. And that's when you get a 70

footer."
We did not get a British mile record on Saturday for several reasons, one of them belog the wind. Another was that Brendan Foster found be was still feeling, mentally as well as physically, the effect of his world 3,000 metres. effect of his world 3,000 merres

mentally as well as physically, the effect of his world 3,000 metres record a week before. But Foster, who remioded us cheerily "I'm human, not a machine you know", was not depressed by his third place behind Clement and Smedley. I think he will go to Rome for the 5,000 metres with as much chance of a medal as Capes. That is more than can be said of about 90 per cent of today's team.

MEN: 100 metres: D. Halliday (RAFI, 9,59cc. 200m; A. Bennrii (airchfield:, 21.6sec. 400m; G. Cohen (Wolverhampton), 46.9sec. 800m; D. McMeekin IVicioria Park, 1 min 47.7sec. Emsley Carr mile; J. F. Clement i Bellahousion; John Smit Sf. Sec. 200m; A. Sec. 35.00m secroles 1 sector (Baleshead), 5 min 57.4sec; 2. R. Smedley (airchfield:, 21.1min 59.2sec. 400m hurdes: J. Bolding (USI, 50.1sec) 1 sector (Galeshead), 5 min 57.4sec; 2. R. Smedley (Birchfield:, 21.1min 59.2sec. 400m hurdes: J. Bolding (USI, 50.1sec) 1 sector 1

otor cycling

heene finishes first with big lead

arry Sheene, Britain's improvemutor cyclist, won the first in prix race to he beld on the ish mainland at Silverstone arday. The 23-year-old London-i rider took his 750cc works. Japanese Suzuki ahead of a d class field no the fifth lap be 20-lap event. He was never led and finished with a big over Tenvo Lanskvourk, of and, in second place on his race was won by Paul Smart, also on a Suzuki, although the leader, pulling no from eighth on his Yamaha.

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ring Sheene's runaway persance, he brooght the lap rate of down to lmin 37.88sec, an overent by almost a second he previous hest set by Paul rt last year.

riler, Sheene had won another event, the 12-lap race for



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2.30 1. Amigris | Evens); 2. China Garden | 7-4); 3. Walden Rights | 7-1: 6 ran. Frozen Forecasi. Seper Phoenix did noi run. Golf

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Rugby League AUCKLAND: Britain 20 ots, New Zealand 0. Britain won series, 2-1.

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Baseball AMERICAN LEAGUE: Chicago Whils
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Twins 5, Baltimore Orioles 1: Oakland
Athletics 5, Boston Red Sox 3: Texas
Rengers 5, Dutroll Tigers 4: Kansas
City Royala 5, Milwaut'se Brawers 5;
New York Yenkees 2, California Angels

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Nonoalco's success by a short head

From Pierre Guillot French Racing Correspondent Deauville, Aug 11

Nonoalco, running for the first From Pamela Macgregor-Morris Nonoalco, running for the first time since his failure in the Derby, won the Prix Jacques le Marois by a sbort bead here today. The margin might have heen greater if Lester Piggott had not made his challenge so late. Nonoalco had always been close up as Mannsfeld made the running just ahead of Ace of Aces and Coup de Peu. Margouillat was also well in touch, but El Rastro was surprisingly held off the pace.

Entering the final furlong, Non-Dublin, Aug 11

William Brown, the curlyheaded 18-year-old "baby" of
the United States team, covered
himself with glory on the final day
of the Dublin Horse Show when be
won the Irish Grand Prix, the
most important event of the week.
He was riding the seven-year-old
chesmut gelding Sandsablaze, a
thoroughbred borse by Blazing
Count out of Sandy Atlas, loaned
to the team by his parents, Mr and
Mrs Graham Brown, of South
Salem, 48 miles north of New York
Gity. surprisingly held off the pace.

Entering the final furlong, Nonoalco looked sure to win comfortahly hut Piggott waited until little
more than 50 yards from bome
before pouncing on Conp de Feu.
He had delayed almost too long
because BI Toro, vigorously ridden
by Jean Cruguet, was finishing
fast In the centre of the course.

Coup de Peu, who finished half
a length back in third place, ran
an excellent race, particularly as
he had been a doubtful runner
until yesterday morning because
of a virus infection. Manusfeld
was only a neck behind, followed,
at two lengths, by Margouillat
with the second English challenger
Averof another length behind. El
Rastro ran his first poor race of
the season, never appearing Salem, 48 miles north of New York Gity.

Sandsablaze has been jumping since he was four, but this is his first year with the team. Before leaving for Europe early in June, he won the Intermediate Stakes at the Virginia State Show. "Buddy" Brown is also a newcomer to the team, but he has been one of the most successful riders to the United States for the mast three years. most successful riders to the United States for the past three years. David Broome, on Sportsman, was one of three with clear rounds who qualified for the finat barrage, but eventually only Peter Roheson, with Grehe, remained to challenge the American boy, who settled the argument with another faultless circuit. The United States team return home on Thesday for another year after a highly successful European tour, which augurs well for their prospects in the next

the season, never appearing Though Nonoalco won by such a small margin, he is in excellent form and the 2,000 Guineas winner must have strong claims to being appropriate the strong claims to be appropriated to be appropriated the strong claims to be appropriated to be appropriated the strong claims to be appropriated to be appropriated to be appr must have strong claims to being considered the best miler in Europe. El Toro had won the Prix Messidor from Pebblebrook and Royal Prerogative; Coup de Feu had put up his finest performance to win the Eclipse Stakes and Mannsfeld had beaten Northern Gem and Northern Taste In the Prix Eugene Adam.

hind Mannsfeld, about two lengths, as he bad done behind Nnnoalco, et level weights, in the Guineas. Thus, on the form book Mannsfeld had an excellent chance of beating Nonoalco.

Nonoalco.

Disappointed by the failure of El Rastro and to a lesser extent by that if Bakuba whom Joe Mercer rode into second place behind Tannenberg in the Grosser Preis von Nordrhein-Westfalen at Disseldorf, Daniel Wildenstein and his trainer, Angel Penna, met with hetter fortune when Paulista made most of the running to win the Prix de Psyche. Ridden by Yves Saint-Martin, he fought off the challenge of Jeanne de Rethel over a furlong not and then resisted the fast finishing Cheryl.

Meanwhile, the news was re-Meanwhile, the news was re-ceived here of the retreement of Goeffrey Watson, who has trained with great success for the Baron Guy de Rothschild. His many big triumphs include the Prix da l'Arc de Triomphe with Exhury.

RANDIS (Group 1

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IMTS M. F. Berger), 5-8-7

EL TORO, b c, by Night and Bsy—
Midnight Moou (Mr R. Approx), 5-2-12

GOUP DE FEU, br c, by White Fre III—Winnine Bld (Mr F. Sascet), 5-9-2

ALSO RAN: Mannisid (41h), Margoeillat, Averd, Ace of Aces, Bon Rot, Some Crack, E) Restro Northern Tasto, 11 ren.

PARI-MUTUEL (1f sieke): Wile 1-70 PRIX :ACQUES LE MARDIS (Group E22,727: 1m) PAR(-MUTUEL (1f eleke): Wto. 1.70; places, 1.30, 2.90, 3.50, F. Zoutin. Sh hd. %1. 1min 37.2sec.

Whispering Grace to run at Newmarket

Northern Racing Correspondent Northern Racing Correspondent
Neville Crump, who is not untamiliar with the winner's enclosure at Liverpool, Shella's Cottage,
Teal, and Merryman II having
won the Graod Naoooal for his
Middleham stahle between 1948
and 1960, will have his first runner in the Gesarewitch. He told
me westerday that his 11-year-old and 1960, will have his first runner in the Gesarewitch. He told me yesterday that his 11-year-old Whisperiog Grace, on whom Edward Hide galned a most impressive victory at Redcar on Saturday, would be entered for Newmarket's great stamina test. Whispering Grace is a real character borse and enjoys his racing as much as he does his work at home. He has won five times on the flat, eight times over hurdles, and seems to improve with age. After racing at Ripod last Monday I saw him gallop over a mile and a balf, and he was much too quick for the younger horses who accompanied him. Last year Hide, who has ridden him io all his victories on the flat, suggested to Crump that Whispering Grace would not quite see through the two and a quarter miles at Newmarket. Two miles, Hide thought, was the limit of his stamina, but on his performance at Redcar on Saturday Hide has bad to think again. The oldest borses to win the Cesarewitch since the war have heen Persian Lancer, at eight years, and Major Rose and Utrillo, six years; all were trained by Ryan Price.

Prom Ryan Price's Findon stable the seven-year-old Cumbernauld travels north today to be trained

the seven-year-old Cumbernauld travels north today to be trained by Neville Crump in this new National Hunt season. A neat little horse by Ribot, Cumbernauld won once over hurdles last year, and be was placed in the Ascot Stakes, Coodwood Stakes, and the Castre. Goodwood Stakes, and the Cesare-witch. This season be ran a fine race under his hig weight to be third to Artivo in the Ladbroke

Bath programme

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2.1S DAUNTSEY STAKES (£282 : 1m 2f)

003-020 Cehic Saini, A. Bavison, 4-9-0 0-04040 Nickrich, B. Hanley, 5-7-15 ... Silk Gity, J. Hundry, 5-7-15 ... 004003 Yurezha, J. Suicilin, 5-7-10 ... Way Bly, D. Joshin, 5-7-10 ...

2.45 RISSINGTON PLATE (2-y-o : £414 : 5f 167yds)

Newcastie's £5,000 Northumber

Newcastie's £5,000 Northumberland Sprint Trophy today should provide Barry Hills's filly, Lovelight, second in her last three races and badly squeezed for room when she was runner-up to Red Alert in the Stewards Cup at Goodwood, with a handsome compensation for her excellent and consistent form this season. William Carson rides Lovelight, and he should go close half an hour later on Cadogan Lane in the Elsdon Handicsp. But in this rwo mile race the hest selection may be Retrial, third in his one appearance this season and winner last year of the William Hill Handicap at Ayr from Arthur Budgett's outstanding stayer, Petty Officer. On that form Retrial looks well treated this aftermon with 8 st 4 lb.

In the Nottinghum Summer Cup.

8 st 4 lb.

In the Nottingham Summer Cup, Anak Malaysia may, like Lovelight, have his reward for many good displays during the past five months. He has not finished out of the first four in six races, and it seems that Eric Consins's Cheshire stable is now finished with virus trouble. On Saturday at Haydock Park, Cousins won two races with Musky Bird and Old Penny.

At Bath Tony Murray is likely to win the Corsbam Handicap on Ryan Price's Prince Poona, and the Findon stable may have another success with Santa Chiara another success with Santa Chiara In the Stapleton Stakes. Lester Piggott will he ar Windsor, and there he may reach his century on Minigold in the Reading Selling Stakes and on Nohlero in the Maidenhead Stakes.

Nottingham programme 2.0 BYRON APPRENTICES HANDICAP (£339 : 2m) Sant Angelo, P. Rohan, 4-8-6.
Geusine Mystle, D. Holland, 5-8-5.
Tussore, J. Cisvion, 4-8-4.
Vois Unique (GO(, H. Gottrill, 6-9-3.
Yesou, K. Gundell, 4-8-1.
Crown Horse (ID), D. Holmes, 4-8-1.
King Caspar, W. Swainson, 4-7-11.
Thusch Acre (II), A. Jarvis, 6-7-11.
Runnage, C. Crossjey, 4-7-2.
Carne Gray, A. Bastiman, 3-7-7.
Stoe Bulb, T. Darling, 4-7-7.
1 Hotel, 5-1 Tussore, 9-2 Vois Unique, 6

10-1 Genoins Mystic, 12-1 Sani Asegio, 20-1 others.

2.30 COLWICK PARK PLATE (2-y-0: £276; 6f)

3 0 Grosby Tom, A. Dent. 8-11

9 Footsingger, R. Akehurst, 8-11

10 0000 Stavenhee, W. A. Sispherson, 8-11

10 0000 Stavenhee Alli, 8-12, 12-12

25 40000 Hevragisse, R. Ward, 8-8

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26 27 7 Tremsran, R. Hollinshead, 8-8

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7-4 Tremaran, 7-2 Stella's Pal, 4-1 Four Fours, 12-1 Petile Dancer, 16-1 oiners.

3.0 NOTTINGHAM CUP (Handicap : £935 : 1m 2f) 3.30 NOTTINGHAMSHIRE MAIDEN PLATE (2-y-o: £276: 6f)

Gontent Hill, H. Cottrill, 9-0
Filmant Felis, 3. Leigh, 9-0
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Ley Camp, S. Norios, 9-0
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Manzon, A. Bastiman, 9-0
Farangon, W. Wharton, 9-0
The Pobble, J. Clayton, 9-0
Rayal Orbit, W. A. Slephenson
Shore Captain, J. Dunlop, 9-0
Tonnic Captain, J. Dunlop, 9-0 A. Locke 5

C. Ecciston 9

B. Raymond 1

C. Dulleid 12

P. Waldron 8

C. Sexion 17

ent Hill. 8-1 The Pobble.

Ocean Runner. 12-1 Indeba. Will-Re-Venture. 20-1 others.

4.0 LAMBLEY HANDICAP (3-y-0: £680: 5f)

5. 000002 Top Secrel (1), P. Robinson. 8-6

8. 30-2034 Sedulone (1), J. Dunico, 8-1

10. 001-00 Miner Chord (D1). D. Wislan, 8-5

11. 1040-00 Lind Chad (D), J. Walker. 8-1

12. 04421 Jelly Paul (D), W. O'Gorman. 8-7

13. 030220 Friendly Anule (1), A. Bastiman. 7-11

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15. 033020 Friendly Anule (1), A. Bastiman. 7-1

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17. 0-2001 Queens Bay (D). M. W. Easterby, 7-7

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19. 002002 Velvel Prince, A. Jarvis. 7-7

R. J. Farruson

3-1 Top Secret. 4-1 Queens Bay, 9-2 Sedulous. 6-1 Joily Paul. 7-1 Valvet Prince. 8-1 Fairgoid, 10-1 Lunar Queen. 16-1 Olners 4.30 HEMLOCK STONE MAIDEN PLATE (3-y-o: £276: 1m 2f) | Alice Ridge 9-0 | K. Lorimer 1 | October 8-0 | Coffree 8-0 | Coffree 8-0 | Coffree 8-0 | Coffree 8-0 | K. Lorimer 1 | Coffree 8-0 | Coffree

Nottingham selections

8y Dur Northern Correspondent 2.0 Volo Unique. 2.30 Stells e Pet. 3.0 Anak Malaysta. 3.30 Musical Piece. 4.0 Jolly Paul. 4.30 N Highway.

NGTON PLATE (2-y-o: £414: 5)

Bisputed Chit. H. Price, 9-0

The Coldeions, W. Wightman, 9-0

Here's Hoping, W. Marshall, 9-0

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Ree saute, R. Cundell, 9-0

Anna Amends, D. Krith, 8-11

Banclug Tara, D. Sassr. 8-11

Gold Show, P. Taylor, 8-11

Injudicioue, R. Turned, 3-11

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Marcrooma, IV. Payno, 8-11

Marylarmb, I. Belding, 8-11

Drangs Pekoo, P. Cole, 8-11

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Perfumed Lady, A. Budgril, 8-11

Remolis, F. Freeman, 8-11

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S Tara, 7-2 Disputed Olit., 4-1 Perfume a. Jones Cottis 7 Istinus 5 Impleson 3.15 KEYNSHAM HANDICAP (2·y-0: £587: 7f) SHAM HANDICAP (2.70 : 2587 : Callents (0), H. Price, 944 Lubetsled, B. Hills. b-9 4. Aramina, J. Buniop, B-6 : Fleeting Clance, W. Marshall, 8-6 : Singact, N. Vigora, B-6 : Herminas, P. Cole, b-2 : Pretty Loynl, W. Wightman, B-0 : Rad Filgnt, A. Slevena, 7-15 : Sneopy Toa, D. Nicholson, 7-9 : The Callent Roll, P. Haslam, 7-7 : King Prism, A. Jonrs, 7-0 : Light, 2-1 Aramina, 4-1 The Goldon Rule, 1 (Giance, 13-1 others. 3.45 OLDFIELD HANDICAP (£600 : 5f 167yds) 7-2 Super Splash, 4-1 Clarr Blue, 6-1 Notmont Point, 6-1 My Eagle, Vosileza, 10-1 Mujon, 12-1 Prolic, 14-1 ciners. 4.15 CORSHAM HANDICAP (3-y-o: 5728: 1m 5f) 4.15 CORSMAM HANDICAF (3-y-0: 2728: 1m 5t)

1 213102 Memtroal Boy, G. Smyth, 9-6. T. Cain 5 7

4 4-00041 Pinco Ponna, H. Prico. 8-13 A. Murray 10

0 0-40310 Eastman, W. Hrm. 8-11 J. Motthias 6 3

8 0-10044 Reactime, B. Hille. 8-5 J. Motthias 6 3

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10 01 Go and Fly. J. Hindley, 8-3 J. Motthias 6 3

10 00-0020 Wespith, K. Cundrill, 7-13 J. Lynch 5

10 00-0020 Wespith, K. Cundrill, 7-13 P. Cook 6

10 023400 Dear Papa, P. Faylor, 7-9 A. Laumrhbury 1

20 00-0000 Ardema. R. Sturdy, 7-7 J. Reid 7 4

5-2 Prince Ponns, 100-50 Eastman, 4-1 Go and Fly. 11-2 Expensive, 7-)

Montroal Roy, 10-1 Rrikoumr, 14-1 others. 4.45 STAPLETON STAKES (£317: 1m 3f 150yds) 1.495 STAPLETUN STAKES (£317: 1m 3f 150yds)

1 00 3erbary Prince, R. Sturdy, 4-9-3

2 0-00 Feature Sesson, B. James, 4-9-3

3 003000 Fracture, D. Gandolto, 4-9-3

6 000 Siron Prince, R. Sturdy, 4-9-3

10 003020 Galindo, R. Sturdy, 4-9-3

40-0302 Galindo, W. Herm, 3-9-10

11 03-304 Gernary, W. Herm, 3-8-10

14 33-0043 Sonta Ghiara, H. Price, 3-8-7

13-8 Granary, 9-4 Sanis Ghiara, 7-2 Galindo, 8-1 Thankfulnes

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By Oor Northern Correspondent 2.15 Yureshs, 2.45 Red Courl. 3.15 Aramina. 3.45 Lake Victoria. d.15 Prince Poons. 4.45 Santa Chiara By Our Newmarkel Correspondent

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4.30 MORPETH HANDICAP (2-y-o: £925: 7f) 501 606 513 514 515 518 619 520 521 532 N. McIntosh L. Parkes 5.0 GREENHEAD MAIDEN PLATE (£483: 1m)

Newcastle selections 8y Our Northern Gorrespondent 2.30 Drury Laue, 3.0 Bags Galore, 3.30 LOVELIGHT is epecially reco 4.0 Rutris!, 4.30 Mine and Yours, 5.0 Rocket Crystal.

Windsor programme 2.30 IRON BLUE PLATE (2-y-o fillies: £276: 5f) 3.0 READING STAKES (£308: 1m 2f) 0001-00 Black Soveroign [GI], 1V. Williams. 5-9-7 Major Saver. R. Wilson. 5-9-7 Minigoid [G], A. Davisun. 4-9-7 Stonebridge Lane. A. Neaves. 5-9-0 Cocolog Finer Tips. K. Cendril. 5-8-3 Cocolog Higgs clocky. Woodens. 5-8-3 Cocolog Cocolog Venezia, J. Succilis. 5-8-3 Cocolog Venezia, J. Succilis. 5-8-3 Winesten. 5-9-1 Major. 5-8-3 Winesten. 5-9-1 Major. 5-9-1 Majo 3.30 ETON HANDICAP (2-y-o : £587 : 6f) 3.30 ETON HANDICAP (2-y-0: 1537: 01)

1 134 Pium Preserves, R. Armstrone, 8-11

2 0313 Sweel Recisim 1GD), T. Waugh, 8-11

3 10 Kanzachi, I. Winier, 8-7

4 0231 Rezel Booy 1II), S. Ingham, 8-1

5 631 Petcons, J. Duniop, 8-0

7 0004 Skyrane, 2. Switt, 7-2

8 000301 Meurndyke, J. Hell, 7-5

10 0120 Perfect Night, J. Cann, 7-4

7-2 Petcons, 3-1 Pium Preserves, 9-1 Rezel Suoy, Bw Kanzashi, 8-1 Parfect Night, 10-1 Mourndyke, 12-1 5kyrene. 4.0 STAINES HANDICAP (3-y-o : £581 : 6f) 4.0 STAINES HANDICAP (3-y-o: E581: 6f)

2 21-0320 Janny Divar, R. Armmrone, 8-10 ... I. Piegott 5
4 0-00203 Relative ease (1), G. Harwood, 8-7 ... J. Lindley 1
5 000000 Repid Rock, G. Hunter, 8-7 ... G. Lewis 4
7 3-00001 Klyoswanso (D), J. Winter, 8-6 ... B. Tayfor 10
10 0-00420 Jim's Pearl, 8, Hanbury, 8-1 ... E. Eldin 9
13 0-20320 Topele, G. P.-Gerdon, 7-12 ... D. Guest 2
14 0-00000 Celestial Call, D. Weeden, 7-11 ... T. McKeown 3
16 0-00016 Fire Swan (CD), W. Marshall, 7-9 ... R. Wernhem 5
19 000-004 Misc Legs, G. Smyth, 7-7 ... I. Carter 6
21 0000 Weish Dressor, J. O'Donoghuo, 7-7 ... M. Miller 7 8
11-8 Klyoswanee, 4-1 Janny Diver, 9-2 Fire Swan, 6-1 Jim's Pearl, 6-1 Topsie, 7-1 Relative Ease, 12-1 Rapid Rock, 16-1 others. 4.30 ROYAL BOROUGH HANDICAP (£592: 1m 3f 150yds)

5.0 MAIDENHEAD STAKES (£307: 1m 2f)

3.0 MAIDENNEAU STAKES (£307: 1m 2f)

1 0-04003 Mobiero, D. Hanley, 3-8-4 L. Miggott 2

2 420000 Quilit, G. Bensiesd, 2-8-4 B. Taylor 3

0 0446-00 Atori, G. Smy Gasling, 3-8-1 G. Lewis 1

7 00-0400 Heftz, Williams, 3-8-1 G. Williams, 4

9 246-003 Patty Miss, R. Gundley, 3-8-1 M. Thomas 6

10 00 Petrot Harmony, V. Cross, 3-8-1 D. Cullen 8

11 0-03 Woodspark, P. Neison, 3-8-1 G. Naxier 7

9-4 Noblero, 4-1 Dunky Lin, 5-1 Woodspark, 6-1 Haftz, 8-1 Atout, Qolit, 12-1

Pelly High, 16-1 Perfect Harmony. * Doubtful runner.

Windsor selections By Our Northern Correspondent 2.30 Psteams. 4.0 Klyaswanee. 4.30 COR-8AGGIO is especially recommended. 5.0 Noblero. By Dur Nowmarket Correspondent 2.30 Blesseen. 3.30 Kenzashi. 4.0 Klyoswence, 4.30 Correggio.

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Solution (10-1); 2. Look Lively [17-8 fav.; 3. The Nadl Royale (10-1); 11 fav.; 3. The Nadl Royale (10-1); 11 fav.; 3. 30 1. Football Royale (10-1); 12 Appairable (10-1); 2. Appairable (10-1); 3. Behave Too (11-4). Indicatomer Lad (11-2 fav.); 2. Appairable (13-1); 3. Arbitrage [7-2]. Midstammer Lad (11-2 fav.); 5. Fan. Appairable (13-2); 3. Arbitrage [7-2].

3.15 1, Jamy Prince (100-30); 2, 21p Festener (11-8 fav(; 3, Nymphanburg (14-1), 5 ran. nurg (14-1), 5 ran. 3.45 1. Collolog [11-1); 2. Mister Chicken (10-1); 3. Shiny Strawberry 19-4 fav). 12 ran. 4.16 1. Trashiri | 110-1|; 2, Gor-poray (2-1); 3, Waterbourne (11-8 Hockey favi. 6 ran.

did not run.

5 0 1. Caleys Harvest (12-1); 2. Mowenko (5-1); 3. Taybar 10-1). Small Gastomer 19-4 favi. 8 rac.

5,50 1. Dijos Hone (12-1); 2. Hurry Back (10-1); 3. Buo (7-1). Drumdalla (5-1 favi. 16 rsn.

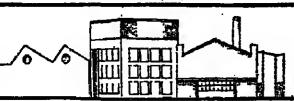
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CHARITY SHIELD: Leads Dailed 1, Liverpool 1 (Liverpool won 6—5 on penalties).

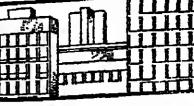
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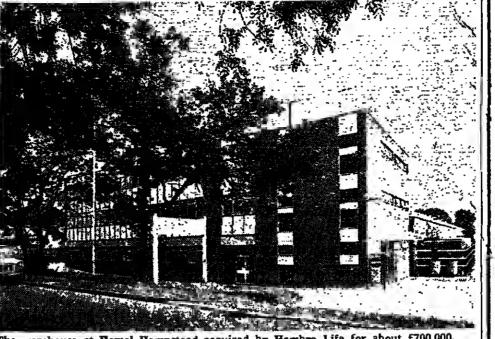
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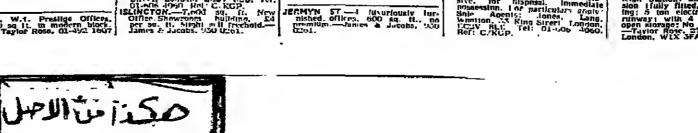
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"Leading member of rival party discovered in compromis-ing situation"; "Daughter of rival politician found shoplifting"; Prominent rival party stopped speeding" those are all headguaranteed to lose 200,000 votes each. On the other hand, the same number of votes is to be gained by "Promise instant review of pensions if elected", and by of two or three years' duration would surely he anathema. Make extravagant promises to build more homes.

Although all this bas a resilife, not to say déja-vu feel about it, the beadlines are in fact to be found on the cards in *Election*, a board game which bas just reached the sbops. While Mr Wilson makes up his mind on the date of any up his mind on the date of any autumn election, the rest of us an go to the polls whenever we choose, in a six-sided contest so fair that all parties—Labour, Conservative, Liberal, Nationalist, Socialiat or Independent—have an equal chance of forming a government.

The mechanics of the same

The mechanics of the game involve a map of Britain split into areas the size of the West into areas the size of the West Country or Greater London, each containing its special interests such as Housewives, Retired People, Industrial Workers, Executives and so on. Players lay down tokens to consolidate old or gain new votes. Some tokens promise increased pensions, while others may turn out to he "Hollow Promise Tokens" a cynical touch in Tokens", a cynical touch in the game which does not hring extra votes but which keeps

Everyone starts with the same number of votes, 3.500,000, and after that individual positions are s.500,000, and after that individual positions are reflected in the chart described as the Popularity Index. The actual election is called when any player hits the top of the index, upon which there is a made committee to the index. mad scramble for the re-mainder of the floating voters. The game of Election is not the only one of its kind. The magazine Games and Puzzles bas reported on a reader's version with a Coalition Card and a Recount Card, hut rhis has never been produced commercially. Several American versions have included real oames—Kennedy, Nixon—that prevent them from remaining topical for long.

topical for long.

Games and Puzzles has its testing panel that will he giving its verdlet shortly. Meanwhile the publisher, Mr Graeme Levin, says: "We feel it's one of the hest election games, well researched and reasonably well balanced. It is as realistic as you can get if every player has an equal chance. Of course, it wouldn't happen in real life that the Nationalists swept the polls Nationalists swept the polls and formed the government."

But Mr Levin does criticize me manufacturers could reply, ambiguity of rules and unfair leaps in popularity ere crucial, if regrettable, fecets of the real-lifa game of political played at Wassian and the real-lifa game of political playe played at Westminster. Intellect Games (the manu-

facturers who also brought you Cabbie, Watch Your Garden Grow and Stockbroker) bope that some enterprizing television company will organize a game of Election on election night itself, to liven up the gaps between pundits.

Mr Wilson must realize the 'special relationship' is dead The Labour Party's hankering tance to recognize communist

for the long-departed special re- regimes. And what about Holy Loch ? Would the nuclear submarine in spite of Mr Wilson's pro-fessed preference for Bourbon whiskey. Judged by the stan-dards of the party's manifesto have to sail away if the special relationship was resurrected That question alone underlines their incompatibility.

Political memories are short of course, but it was war—the Second World War and the Cold War—which created the special relationship. It was perpetuated, long after the unequal status of the two countries became painfully evident, hecause of British insistence, even in the face of American reluctance and embarcassment.

efforts to repeal the Taft-Hartley Act. Labour contracts The Anglo-American special relationship was a long time dy-ing because of official British re-On the other hand, the American trade union move-ment believes that the husiness luctance to accept the diminiabed status of the post-imperial era. It was kept alive first by Mr Macmillan, who established an almost avuncular personal relationship with President Kennedy, and theo by Mr Wilson when he went to Washington as Meany was general secretary of the TUC, he would call in the Special Branch to purge the movement of those he would re-Prime Minister in 1964.

He kept it alive by insisting that the United States and Britain were the only two world powers capable of main-For these and other reasons, many Labour MPs really do not like Americans and what is known as tha American way of life. Some are offended by the American willingness to recogthe peace, a fiction President Johnson happily accepted because it nize and support military juntas, and bave been much exercised promised to relieve him of e few of his defence commitby the earlier American reluc-

• Mr Ford is hardly likely to respond enthusiastically to sentimental appeals from London, from the leader of a party divided over Europe

ments. It was finally killed by Mr Wilson when he refused to send a token force to Viemam and subsequently withdrew from the Persian Gulf.

In political terms all this was a long time ago. Hence the use-fulness of Ian McDonald's Anglo-American Relations Since the Second World War. It is a narrative largely hased on offi-cial documents which records the achievements and failures of the relationship. Above all, it is a reminder that when the policies of the two countries differed, the interests of the United States invariably prevailed.

was of course the 1956 Suez crisis. McDonald, who was a member of The Times staff in member of The Times staff in Washington, recalls thet the British government felt, with reason, that the United States had failed to stand hy its most loyal ally in a matter vital to that ally's interest. In the long run, the American refusal to support the Anglo-French ventura prohably saved the two nations from hecoming entangled in a far worse situation, but the manner in which the United States ahandoned its allies rankled deeply.

The Americans have come to view Britain as just another European country

States invariably pre-when British defence policies biggest confrontation conflicted with America's

allies rankled deeply.

chaoging strategic plans, that the United States was swift to disregard any claims of the "special relatiooship". To many Britons it appeared at times that the relationship was a one-way street in which Britaio received very little in return for her loyalty.

This was not strictly true.
The mutual contempt of the then British Foreign Secretary and American Secretary of State had for each other did not belp, but the United States could not heve been expected to support Suez, a vecture which also had bitterly divided Britaio. The then American Defence Secretary may have cancelled Skybolt without giving a thought to British requirements. He was a man without political sensibility, hut the affair dramatically illustrated that Britain just did not have the necessary economic strength to masquerade as a partner to a superpower.

The Americans were impatient with British nuclear pretensions, hut charitable enough to make amends by providing Palaris. The offer aroused the wrath of de Gaulle, who blackballed Britaio's application for European member-sbip and threw the Atlentic Alliance ioto a state of dis-array from which it never recovered.

what would bave happened if this train of events had been avoided, but even before the Skybolt incident President Kennedy, for all his affection for Mr Mecmillan, had indicated that Britain was only one of the European allies and that her place was in Europe. Perbaps the Americans did not press hard enough Perhaps they were too kind or sentimental. Whetever the reason, the special relationship did not serve

Britain's interest. One thing is obvious. Britain's place, as Americans see it, is in Europe. The diplomatic and defence arrangements which were the special relationship helong to the past. McDonald makes the point by quoting what Dr Hency Kissinger said as early as 1964.

After remarking that Anglo-American relations would always be "special" hecause of the unique ties of language and culture, Dr Kissinger said: "As the postwar pariod progressed, many influential Americans have come to helieve that Britain has been claiming influence out of proportion to its power. Consequently they have pressed. Britain to substitute close association with Europe for special ties across the Atlantic.

They believe that Britain should

could forecast be treated as simply one other European country.

Dr Kissinger then spoke in a country to the beautiful to the country. private capacity, but be has not changed his mind since become ing Secretary of State. Indeed be seems to regard Britain as a many mist-shrouded islands President Gerald Ford is and Anglophobe, but be is certain.

not an Anglophile. He is typical of Middle Westerners without strong ethnic ties. They have outlived their xenophobia, in Europe means little or nothing to them except as a place which to spend a vacation. Mr Ford does not share the residual cootempt, but he hardly likely to respood enth hardly likely to respond enturing siastically to sentimental appearing from London, especially from leader of a party divided on Europe. It is not at all impossible that Bonn will be regard

as the first European capital The lesson is clear. If I Wilson wants to retain a norm which is all he can bope for, ahould read McDonald amake sure that Britain remains a member of the European F

Anglo-American Relations So the Second World War by 1 McDonald (David and Char Newton Ahbot, £5.50).

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What can pensioners hope to get from Mrs Castle?

A apate of White Papers is due to flood out of HMSO in the next few weeks. Some of these will undoubtedly have an eye on the electoral main chance, and among them is expected to be a paper on Mrs Barbara Castle's replacement for Sir Keith Joseph's pension plan which she destroyed last May. What kind of scheme is Mrs Castle likely to come up with?

How ahould it be judged? A fair way to start would he to measure the proposals against the objectives which Mrs Castle has set for herself. The most important of these is to most important of these is to remove today's pensioners from means-tested supplementary benefits. The most direct way of meeting this objective would be to raise the present flat-rate pension to a level at which supplementary benefits would be unnecessary.

lationship with the United States is difficult to understand

the two are, to say the least,

By Labour standards, Ameri-

can capitalism has a more unac-ceptable face than the local visage. If Mr Scanlon and Mr

Jones were American labour

leaders they would bring that economy to a standstill in their

of America is business. If Mr

gard as commies and com-

incompatible.

Mrs Castle has of course ready raised the flat-rate already raised the flat-rate pension this year and has linked future reviews to the index of national average earnings. This has oot removed anyone from supplementary henefits since the level of supplementary benefits was raised simultaneously. It seems unlikely that she will travel further along this road, for the simple reason that such increases have to be paid for on the nail and it would be electorally unpopular to threaten a further increase of national intha game for the ambiguity of surance contributions before

> (which is the earliest date such a scheme could start) and it will huild up slowly hecause the benefits themselves will also huild up slowly. There can h e good economic arguments for adopting this gradual build up, as private pension schemes do. It must he realized, how-Jonathan Sale of pensioners above supple-

Actual equality between the sexes is unlikely since it would entail lowering retirement

age for men

or raising

it for women ?

mentary benefits level. To their credit, the trade unions have recently been most con-scious of the need to look after today's pensioners. If they continue on this line it is doubtful whather they could tolerate for long a State scheme which would look like an excuse for doing nothing for those whosa need was most urgent.

to ensure that her objective—that there Castle second will be no inferiority of treat-ment for women—will be met. Actual equality of treatment for both sexes seems unlikely, since this would either entail reducing the retirement age for men to 60 (prohibitively expensive) or raising the age for women to 6S (nnlikely to attract many female votes). One might reasonably expect a continuation of the present sit-uation where equal henefits are paid from different ages, which means that most of the money is devoted to benefits

The third objective, pro-tecting pensions against inflation, is likely to present the most difficult problems, since the Treasury seems to fear that index-linking could have the effect of creating a built-in

The Conservative Party was

preparing its hattle-lines at the weekend with a conference and briefing session for 160 prospec-

tive candidates—most of them clubbable young men defeated

in February and now preparing themselves for the second fight within a year. Opinion was unanimous that there would be

an election this autumn. Almost everybody plumped for October

a pretry informan survey", said one candidate from a marginal constituency, "and we know bow the votes are moving and where. But we saw at the last election that we had a highly volatile vote, which went particularly to the Liberals. We

have been getting some of that back, hut who can tell what will be happening in a month and a balf's time?"

Several confessed that their

predictions had been wrong in February. "I went into the

predictions and february. "I went into the count thinking my Liberal opponent was going to wio", said a Liverpool caodidate, "In

the event he only just came

second, and Labour won almost

without doing anything. I lost a lot of my preconceptions that

There was some reluctance to

look forward to another elec-

tion about inflation, prices and incomes. "I would like to talk about the problems of the inner city", said one, "but that is not a national issue and won't command attention, important

as it is. I should think we can hardly avoid Europe being a hig issue, though I am pretty

sure the people are not inter-ested." Nationalization, some felt, would be a bull point:

inflationary pressura in the economy. This danger would he postponed, of course, to the extent thet the hulld-up of pen-sion was deferred into the fu-ture, so that it might be consi-dered another attraction of doing nothing for existing penwhose pensions are tied to an earnings

The final objective is one in which Mrs Castle will almost certainly find herself in trouble. When she cancelled Sir Keith Joseph's plan she gave emphatic reassurances that she wished to encourage the development of good occurthe development of good occu-pational schemes. It seems probable that she will seek to honour her words by allowing occupational schemes which comply with certain minimum tequirements to contract ont of some of the costs (and henefits) of her own new scheme. The crucial point here will be the financial fairness of the terms which she allows for contracting-out, and this is the point which will place her in the most acute political di-What Mrs Castle will want

to do is to give earnings-re-lated pension benefits to those people who do not at present enjoy them, and she will prob-ably want to build up their benefits under the State earnings-related scheme at a faster rate than their own contributions would support. A few years ago these people were almost entirely works employees, many of whom were almost certainly Labour more and more of these have been included in good occupa-tional schemes. So who is going to pay the subsidy for who have no scheme at all?

The subsidy will bave come from those who are already in private schemes. If the occupational schemes will have to be cut back and she can expect no thanks from anyone if this happens. Mrs Castle has stated categorically in answer to a parliamentary question that white paper proposals will he costed by the Government Actuary. This should show clearly who is going to subsidize whom and how electorally attractive or repulsive her new scheme is likely to be

scheme is likely to be.

South Korea: No sign of the democracy that so many men died for

Just over two decades ago some of Britain's finest regiments were inducted into a bitter war on the Korean peninsula with the belief that they were fighting for the pre-servation of democracy in Like thousands of

American comrades, 670 British soldiers were killed and another 2,690 were reported missing or wounded in three years of conflict before the Communists were driven hack to the 38th parallel and an to the 38th parallel and an alternative government under the late Mr Syngman Rhee was reinstalled in Seoul.

And now, 21 years after that bloody conflict, many American and British observers are beginning to believe that perhaps those young men sacrificed their lives in vain. For in terms or democratic values and political freedom, there

and political freedom, there now is little to differentiate between Park Chung Hee'a dictatorial regime in Seoul and the totalitarian communist system in North Korea. During the past six months President Park, who appareotly

fears that his government will he overthrown by a popular uprising, has systematically erased the last vestiges of democracy in Korea to repress

using the hogey of North Korea as a pretext to suppress demands for restoration of democratic rights, the regime has issued emergeocy decrees which threaten anyone who criticizes the President or his self-imposed constitution with death or imprisonment. Thou-sands of dissident studeots, inleaders bave heen arrested and President Parks political opponents have been brought before secret military tribunals on what appear to he questionable charges that they attempted to assist a communist-inspired uprising this year. More than 60 persons have heen arraigned on charges that hey attempted to encourage

students to stage an uprising in April to establish a communist government. They include South Korea's former Presi dent, Posun Yon, a 77-year-old democrat, and a Romao Catho-lic hishop, Daniel Chi Hak Sun, a devoted Christian who was previously persecuted by the Japanese and the Com-

munists in North Korea.
The state, which usually issues a one-sided version of Lord Byers the proceedings of militery tri-



President Park Chung Hee: dictatorial regime.

(who was first errested when bited), the regime has also an-he returned from Europe tagonized the country's pow-where he criticized the re-gime) donated f1,100 to the strong Protestant community. now hanned group of dissident students, the National Dem-ocratic Youth Student Movement. The former president, Mr Yun, who faces a similar charge, told journalists hefore his trial that he had indeed passed on £400 to the student movement but added that he believed people had the right to stage demonstrations in a democratic country.

Two other democrats and in-tellectuals, Mr Kim Chang Kuk, Dean of Yoosei University's Theological College and Mr Kim Dong Kil, Professor of History at the same Two Japanese nationals—university—detained by Korca's one a journalist—were senmuch feared CIA since tenced to 20 years imprison-April—bave also been brought ment last month. According to History at before a military tribunal on cherges that they encouraged an underground student move-

Fourteen dissidents five (excluding purported communist spies) have sentenced to death hy military tribunals during the past four weeks. However, the death seuteoces imposed on five of President Park's adversaries, including Kim Chi Ha, the noted Koreao poet who has ostensibly heen persecuted hecause his poems have beld the regime up to ridicule, were subsequently commuted in life movements began to swell in the United States and Japan.

While a Japan

While a large number of Korea's 800,000 Catholics are bolding all-night vigils in churches to protest against Chi's incerceration Bisbop (public Chi's incerceration orotests are prohi-

Believing the Government's claim that anti-state demoostrations were iospired by com-munists, the Korean CIA has rounded up most of the leaders of the Korean Chrisstaff members of the Protestant student group, including have already been sentenced to 20 years imprisonment. Three others were given life sentences and another member, a student at Seoul University, was secteoced to death but

the prosecution they had coland had doneted approximately £7 to the movement. (It is a traditioo among Japanese journalisis to band a small gift to a foreigner in return for assis-

Political repression does not end with secret military tri-hunals. President Park's major political adversary, Mr Kim Dae Jung, who was abducted in Tokyo by Koreao CIA agents in August last year has been brought before a civil violeted the law when he campaigned against President Park during the elections in 1967 and 1971. Among the charges, the State alleges that Mr Kim suggested to the electorate that President Perk was attempting and impose the same procession. to perpetuate himself in power sophy on South Korea. a "generalissimo". Uoder a Presidential decree

known as Emergency 1 Four, issued in April, it is offence, punishable by de or life imprisonment, to bel to the National Democr League of Students Youths But the decree car wider implications. It goes to declare: "It shall he pr bited for any person to a cate, instigate, propar broadcast, publish, report communicate others such acts as are pi hited by the emergency The decree specific prohibits demonstrations demic institutions. A spe who criticizes the decree imprisonment or imprison ... not less than five years.

Under the terms of ano decree any person who crimes President Park or the stitution can he imprisoned 15 years. The constitu which was foisted on OR A country in 1972 and tour off demands for refrechearlier this year, aholi direct elections and ale term in office.

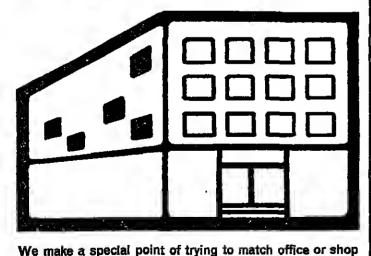
term in office. The Government attemp justify its actions on two cious grounds. Mr Bang I ::: Lim, special adviser to F dent Park, claims that measure k against Western democrati stitutions. Reiterating Government's shrill war was secteored to death but against the danger of the communist attack. Lim so the communist attack. Lim so the communists are building their forces. We cannot at the communists are building to be seen to have the same done at the communists are building to be seen to have the same done at the communists are building to be seen to have the same done at the communists are building to be seen to have the same done at the communists are building to be seen to have the same done at the communists are building the communists are build system here. Conditions different."

However, senior officers command the 38,000 Amer troops stationed in Korea; that military ectivity in N Korea does not justify P dent Park's claim. At the same time

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The Times Diary

Backing Britain's Gerald Ford

except for one candidate, who sensed that it would he Sep-tember simply because that was the time most inconvenient to "The whole area of individual freedom of choice is terribly important under the surfece. I have ordinary people in the nave ordinary people in the street coming up and asking me: 'They are communists really, aren't they?' People have the feeling that is the way things are going."

A Lancasbire candidate said:
"I thought 'who rules?' There was much less certainty about the result of the election than there was about tha date. "We have carried out a pretty thorough survey", said

would last for a week last time, aod sure enough then it broadcoed out to a whole variety of issues which we were variety of issues which we were not prepared for. This time we will he able to go back and argue it rationally". Others agreed, but one said: "It will he a lot more difficult to generate the enthusiasm this time. Last time I myself felt the issue was one of such great urgency. Now things may actually be worse, but people will not bave the same ioterest." Another said a low poll might belp him, but tele vision hroadcasts should be severely limited: "Otherwise people will get turned off com-

pletely Several of the candidates did not like voters much: "I bad six friends come down to can-vass for me, who bado't done anything like that hefore. Without exception they all said their day oo the doorsteps was the biggest argument they could imagine for dictatorship, he-

this year, and nor has my wife. Still she can have a holiday in the constituency with its many attractions—you know, Bristol Zoo, After all, I met ber in the Young Cooservatives". The Conservative appeal: "I

thick we simply have to get it across that the Conservative Party is the one which will represent the whole nation. cven if the froot bench dneshave a preponderance of welloff people like Peter Walker and laoded gentry like Willie Wbitelaw. We have 10 prove that there isn't any need for the Liberals. It's no good saving Liberals. It's no good saying We are moderates too'. We have to tell them what we are going to do about it". And Edward Heath, who came to huffer dinner and helped the

candidates dispose of salmon mousse, six turkeys, two hams, four ribs of beef and much else besides: "People say he is stubhora, but the word is resolute. People say he is aloof, but we doo't find him so. Edward Heath is the British Gerald Ford".

Pointer The staid house journal of the Royal Astronomicel Society. The Observatory, has recently published its thousandth issue. which it marked with a set of cause you just get so many spool articles parodying heavycontradictions and nonsenses". weight scientific papers. One
Many were going without of the pastiches, by a fluke of
bolidays: "I bave not bad ooe mock astrology, managed to predict the February's outcome of last General Election more accurately than the opinion polls, although it was written and in the hends of the editors before the end

Dr Hilary Mathews took up the recent idea that sunspots affect the weather and possibly other events on Earth. Matthews the present century there has been a lendency for Labour Governments to be elected around the time of minimum sunspot activity, such as 1964 and 1966, and for the Conservatives to gain power when the sun is very ective, such es 1970. According to the doctor's hypothesis, the planetary alignments which determine the sunspot cycle also influence the voters of Britain.

In summing up the theory.

Mathews wrote that the situa-tion of quiet solar activity at the to the election of a Lahour Government, and that similarities between the present cycle of sunspot activity and the cycles of the 1920s and 1930s would print to a continuation of the Liberal revival.

On the evidence of this accurate prediction, made at least a month before the last

election, Harold Wilson would apparently he well-advised to seek an early dissolution of Parliament while the sunspots are still on his side.

How to turn a tax cut into a price increase. An Indian reslaurant in London's West End, which includes VAT in its menu prices, had a note on top of the card soying : " For take nume service, deduct 10 per cent VAT." Now the 10 has been ernssed out, and an eight



Today's road sign was photogrophed near Burjord by John Miller of South Croudon.

Quiet weekend

Helen Vlachos, the Athens pub-lisher win made London her some for the last seven years. has joined the rush of Greek expairiates going back to enjoy the demucratic spring in Greece. She flew out to spend what she called " a quiet weekend " with family and friends. " My mother started worrying" she said. "So came back".

Mrs Vlachns returned to the penthouse flat in which the colonels locked her up in Sep-tember, 1967. It was from this apartment that after three months in confinement she fled the country in disguise. In London her home served as something of a democratic cmbassy, and ex-King Constanting and him for the country in line and his wife were frequent

I just came to Athens to get the feel of things", Mrs Vlacbos said after lunching with Constantine Karamanlis, the prime ntinister, at the Grande Bretagne hotel. No doubt some

Peter Hazelhu Mickey conof their discussions concer tenturies past.

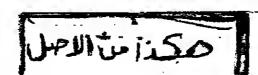
Mrs Vlacbos says she plant bong between ritative newspaper founded in omnipuher grandfather, which closed when the color imposed censorship. But will illness in good time", she says it could be says in the color for so will stay in London for so time and it is not easy to the problems in paper I have in mind.

Dandelions

Further to my recent item algorithm in the eating dandelion leaves, Things have need Layton, the wine writer, it comodon suit. Layton, the wine writer, the sumodation in own, rather than gather the last is not to wild. He has, he says, been grid to it rearment, months. He gathers the set will be in head a heads—the things that children he will aware the Ashdown Forest, theo plate the set of the same them with a thin covering them with a thin covering the set ments.

They are, ha says, extraord to be seements arily quick to germinate. The second host start to appear above the second host ground about an arround about are second about the second second about the second ground about six days are planting and in a fortught the have reached a height of about three inches. It is at this stand Layton says, that the leaves at their best to ear io sales he though they can he grown the more than double the height. Since taking an interest dandelions. Layton has come the conclusion that they her two separate flowering serons. He found them in profusion and the serons are the found them in profusion and the serons are the a month and when he returned in June he could find none in flower. In July they blooms

Marc is on holiday.



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MODERNIZING CHARITIES

that bequests and gifts to Francis arity will he treated no loss of the party of the iting to applaud until the debls bave been announced, for the second seco mselves unduly sympathetic wiries decided not to zero-rate m for VAT, while Labour has lined to reverse that decision. ten stamp duty was raised in rch, they were not conceded reduced rate that they had be reduce resed this month, after ener-

ic lobbying).
School locality the same time, charities are then most from ferring more than most from the state of the economy. Inflawices and rents and also made public much less willing to n their purses. Charities with octations have seen their reportfolios have seen their reportfolios have seen their reportfolios, the organizatie that suffer most from deing contributions tend to be se that serve unappealing or ashionable causes where er sources of aid are few.

mong these more immediate blems, the loog-standing : ate over what the function of harity should be in a modern e has revived. Recent dis-es in several of the campaignbodiee which bad seemed to opening out new scope for vity within the charities law indicative of uncertainty and stration. The inquiry which d Goodman is to carry out for National Council of Social vice should find plenty to k into. The law that regulates part to 1960 and in part to , and hoth its form and its lication need reexamination. o begin with there are too ly charities. The 1960 Act is the Charity Commissioners e power to steer the innumer-'s and often obsolete small

than 100,000 organizations, a quarter of them with annual incomes of less than ten pounds. A seven-year review of charities hy Oxfordshire (one of the few local authorities to use its powers in this respect) ended recently io almost complete failure and accusations that the commis-

in encouraging mergers. It is true thet too much official pressure can threaten the spontaneity which is essectial to charitable activity, hut there is still plenty of acope for active guidance, not only io parish bequests to provide stockings for servingmaids, but also in the national field where rival bodies sometimes compete wastefully to do the same job. At the same time. although there is little evidence of malpractice or gross inefficiency among charities, the arrangements for the scrutiny of accounts and prevention of incompetence are not entirely satisfactory. Even the ground rules for the working of trusts were bitterly artacked during last year's dispute in Shelter, oo the ground that they mede it difficult for paid staff to have s

say in policy-making.

Lord Goodman's chief problem will be the old question of what should count officially as a charity. In spite of VAT, the tax concessions for registered organizatione are still extremely valueble. But they are enjoyed denied to others that would least as much to the public ago that aid should come not from good. The decision, which effectively rests with the commissioners, depends on a remarkable analogical analogical parties. But there might be objections to public support for the Netional Front or International Marxist Group. Lord Beveridge suggested long ago that aid should come not from tax relief hut from grants dispensed by a necessary parties. But there might be objections to public support for the Netional Front or International Marxist Group. affairs of charities dates back missioners, depends on a remarkupon an enactment of 1601. Nobody is satisfied with it, but nobody bas been able to suggest anything better.

But it is impossible to draw a another.

t Healey's proposals on gifts trusts into more effective group rational line between publicity Healey's proposats on gitts trusts into more effective group- random and some social ings. Some rationalization bas and propaganda, and some social occurred, hut there are still more evils are inevitably hest countered by pressing to change the law. Some charities are bolder in aailiog close to the wind than othera (Sbelter, for instance, made no secret of its attitude to the new Rent Act while it was heing debated), and some get round the difficulty hy the cumbersome and out altogether sioners were no longer interested straightforward expedient of splitting into two nominally separate organizations, oce to campaign, one to dispense aid. The commissioners are reasonably tolerant of all this. The chief iojustice is to bodiea like Amnesty and the United Nations Association, which here never been able to achieve registra-

> The difficulty is that society cannot be expected to provide major tax advantages to advance ends that are altogether out of sympathy with prevailing attitudes. But a characteristic field for charitable activity is where society has not acknowledged that it should provide a service itself: that implies a pioneering, controversial ele-ment. The task of evolving a formula that would prevent the first, accept the second and yet not be overtaken by changes in public attitudes, ie extremely hard. The Charity Law Reform Society recently suggested in effect that the tax concessions sbould be available to all bodies whose funds were prevented from being used for private profit, of discretion, but is otherwise unattractive. It is important that any solution should command wide acceptance, and that we Educational activities qualify, should not unwittingly replace and political activities do not. one over-rigid system with

DUTH KOREA'S UNJUSTIFIED REPRESSION

world where so much suffercomes to notice from material t the cause of liherty and · esentative government is less ly to be given the first : decade has by most computas heen successful and educahas expanded to match it. t is all the more reason to ask the screws of political ession have been tightened so b there. The record of ident Park Chung Hee's ernment is as bad as any in non-communist orld: it is ut on the facing page hy our o correspondent, Mr Hazel-

... course it is justifiable to in Korea's case the same -se that bas so readily been ed out by every military ver elsewbere in Asia: tbat country is not suited to rn-style democracy and that a spell of firm discipline et it right. Indeed in Korea's the plea may be reinforced; is not merely the lack of democratic tradition and a quent fumbling in the workof a democratic system, is a very strong tradition n Korea of a precisely conkind—the authoritarian in ucian society evolved in and absorbed and practiced orea for many centuries past. a western mind, habituated e division of authority that xisted for so long between th and State, the omnipo-

ating mental illness

Dr John Le Gassicke r William Sargant's interesting in your issue of July 30 s over some of the problems in resent day treatment of the lly ill. It is true that a large er of long-stay patients in the ed old mental hospitals need ally he there if there was suitesidential accommodation in mmunity. But this is not m at there is no longer any need e asylum type of treatment,

ae of us who work in these old als are only too well aware here are still patients heing ted to them who, in spite of pments in physical treatments ommunity facilities, will still treatment in a mental hos-or the rest of their lives. In e ntion of ebout a million people are, perhaps, about 25 such ts being admitted to mental als each year. These peopla ontinue to need skilled nursre for an indefinite period. spite of the appearance of il hospital units for the lly ill and the reduction of the rs of patients in old mental

als I know of no instance it has been possible to close I mental bospital. These hoswere built in Victorian times sa the mentally ill who found way into workhouses. word "asylum" wa was first

uced in its charitable sense, ie mary. When these bospitals e overcrowded because of development at the turn of ntury the word fell into disand in many ways this is unate. Many patients atill a sanctuary and to try and them by community methode is putting them in hostels or

tence of the State in a Confucian society is not easily grasped. The very concept of opposition was abborrent. The existence of selfgoverning bodies of any kind that were not an accredited part that in the bare quarter of a century during which South Korea has nominally enjoyed a democratic system opposition parties bave behaved in ways that seemed spurious and meaningless. But that surely is time enough for a government to learn that if it chooses to regard any criticism of government as a treasonable act, subject to such severe penalties as those now imposed in South Korea, it must expect others to question its justification and condemn its

harsb repression. The other plea constantly offered by the Seoul government is that it is under threat from the communist regime in the north. This plea can be dismissed, first, because it has been so readily offered before and been found to be false: there is no more evidence now of an imminent attack from the north than there has been on the other recent occasions when it bas been advanced by President Park. But secondly, however authoritarian the instincts that persist, it is precisely the sboots of true democratic thinking and action that should be nurtured in the southern parts of the country if the claims of the north are to be negated. There is no justification, whatever the coun-

boarding them out or making them attend day hospitals is inappropriste for their needs although it looks

statistically attractive.

Dr Sargant suggests that coosultants on the ataff of these old mental hospitals get iovolved in commitments outside their hospital hecause of the depressing emo-sphere loside them and therefore loog-stay patieots are denied proper rehabilitation. I have some experieoce of psychiatric hospitals in North East England and I would like to point out that this does not ha*ppe*n b*e*re. Yours sincerely,

JOHN LE GASSICKE, 27 Kings Aveoue, Morpeth. Northumberland,

Patient and doctor

From Dr Gwen Grant Sir, It is with surprise and regret thet I read the letters from Mr C. W. S. Morris and Mr A. M. Gord-handas (August 1). Like Professor Allen (July 29), my family and I were "expelled" from a group practice because I bad a disagreement with one member. Fortunately, we are rarely ill and so far we have not found that the scruples which applied to us as NHS patients have prevented our treatment as private patients.

I am a scientist-a biologist-and prefer therefore to avoid those doctors who like your correspondeors demand "faith" as e condition of traatment. There are other doctore who consider medicioe a branch of applied scienca and these are the ones I wish to consult. However, as the National Health Service is constituted I have no choice and. even if I did, difficulty in identifytry's traditions, for the harshness now in force.

The student movement that contributed to Syngman Rbee's downfall in 1960 hecame active of the state hureaucracy necesrves support wherever liberty
brutally crushed. In South
character. It is not surprising

that were not an activate processarily raised suspicions of their new laws and hy the brutal methods with which the Korean CIA is associated. Protest bas last year in face of repression come from many other quarters. Leaders of the Roman Catholic and Protestant Churches are regarded as suspect, naturally enough for their loyalties are not to be dragooned as easily as President Park might wish. World protest bas sufficed to save Mr Kim Chi Ha, the poet, from a death penalty but many other writers and intellectuals suffer as their like bave done throughout the history of Confucian authoritarian rule. Witness China, at any time in the past or now.

Anxiety has been growing in the United States at what bas been bappening. The American troops still maintained in Korea are psychologically the most important part of the support President Park's Government still enjoys from Washington. In Japan protest bas grown ever since the abduction in Tokyo a year ago of Mr Kim Dae Jung, the South Korean Opposition leader, who has still not been allowed to leave Korea. The forthcoming United Nations general assembly, when the question of North and South Korea will come up again, may lie bebind the South Korean Government's anxieties. They are certainly not likely to support by their present methods.

ing those persons whose judgment and artitudes I would prefer.

A serious fault to the NHS lies, I think, to the method of payment. A
GP sees a critical argumentative patient as someone for whom he receives a paltry sum a year and with whom he is not prepared in bother. The patient sees a man who behaves as if he were haodiog out official charity—"Take that my good man

and he grateful". It is much easier for both to appreciate money paid for work actually done and I think the NHS needs a mora realistic attitude to payment—salaries or coosultation

Yours siocerely, GWEN GRANT, Whitehorns, 24 Denham Lane, Chalfont St Peter, Buckinghamshire.

Rubbish overboard

From Mr R. D. A. Maurice Sir, Mr Brenton's letter (Aug 8) reminded me of a somewhat similar occasion many years ago when I was crossing the Channel on one of the British Rail steamers-I caonot re-

member its name. I bad takeo e sandwich lunch with me and after putting the apple peelings and other rubbish carefully into a paperbag, I wandered all round the deck trying to fiod a waste container and failing went up to a member of the crew asking him Please cen you tell me where there a waste cootainer?" He replied: Overboard mate, the biggest dusthin in the world." Yours faithfully, MAURICE. Wheat Kooll,

Kenley, Surrey.

The relative cost

of housing
From Mr W. J. H. Toombs
Sir, Though Mr Bernard Kilroy's letter (August 5) about bousing subsidies, to which you gave prominence, contains some truths, it also contains omissions, balf-truths, uo-truths and mis-statements to which the attention of readers should be drawn.

The key question today is what is the relouive cost of different ways of adding to the nation's housing stock. At present, each new council house costs over £1,000 a year in aubsidy from rates and taxes. Each new private house costs about £300 a year in tax relief. Moreover, if a year in tax relies. Moreover, it council house rents ere to be frozen, this difference will cootinue indeficitely. Eveo if they rise at the full rate of inflatioo, which currently seems unlikely, owner-occupation will adill offer a saving in the Exchequer, as well as a wider distribution of wealth.

What is therefore unsently needed

What is therefore urgently needed is to fied waye of enabling those with lower iocomes to buy their own bomes. This can be dooe, even without subsidy, through forms of fixed-proportion-of-iocome mortgages, or low-start mortgsges. The Housing Research Foundation will

Housing Research Foundation will shortly be publishing an important report on this topic.

Mr Kilroy's figures relate to the existing stock of houses and ere largely irrelevant for the future. But in any event his comparison of the subsidy given m council teoants with tax relief giveo to

owner-occupiers is wrong.

He has divided the total subsidy to teoants by all tenants, even those living in old houses and not now helog eubsidized, whereas he divides the tax relief to owneroccupiers by the much smaller oumber currectly with e motigage, forgetting that oearly balf of owneroccupiers have oo mortgage. The lstest correct figures are about £90 aid for each council tenant and a little over £55 for each owner-

occupier.
Council tenants also obtain much more aid from supplementary benefits for housing so that, in total, aid to council tenants averages well over twice that given to owner-occupiers eveo if tax relief is regarded as a subsidy. This may be thought to be socially right. Council tenants are, on average, poorer than owner-occupiers, although they are also on average wealthier than private

Another inaccuracy by Mr Kilroy is his reference to land sccounting for 30 to 40 per cent of housing costs in the south-east of England. Last year this was certainly true, but today land can be bought for half of last year's price, sometimes less than that. This is a welcome change.

There is oo reason wby any poli-tical party should be emotionally attached to any form of tenure. After all, a Labour Government White Paper in 1965 said "The expansion of the public programme now proposed is to meet exceptional needs; it is born partly of a short-term necessity, partly of the condi-tions inherent in modern urban life. The expansion of building for owneroccupation, on the other band, is normal; it reflects a long-term social advance which should gradually

pervade every regioo". That objective can be reached more quickly if we take the right decisions now. Yours faithfully,

W. J. H. TOOMBS, The Housing Research Foundation, 58 Portland Place, W1. August 9.

Children in detention From Mr John Dixon

Sir, I note from The Times of August 6 a oews item about a child of 14 beiog kept in Holloway because there was nowbere else suitable. I am oot surprised. The other day chaired the regular meeriog of the Board of Menagemenr of the Roya Philanthropic—a community home and assessment centre for hoys, most of whom have appeared before the juvenile courts.

It was revealed thet in the last six mooths it bad been impossible to fied appropriate pisces for no less than 67 boys out of a total of 270 than 67 boys out of a total of 220. This 67 had been returned in most cases to the circumstances which bad brought them before the Courts in the first place or returned to families which had rejected them. How many of all the other boys dealt with were satisfactorily placed is coojecturel.

Both these circumstances and those of the child in Holloway indicate a quite desperate situation io children's residential provisioo; the proper facilities do oot at present exist in sufficient quaotity or the right quality. There are insufficient staff and the current rates of pay for this most onerous job of look-ing after difficult adolesceots are

quite unrealistic.

The status of the job must be recognized, new scales of pay nego-tiated and more capital released to provide up-in-date buildings: if this doesn't happen the situation will deteriorate still further and more and more children will get placed in Holloway or—what a number of my colleegues believe may bappen—some dreadful incident will happen involving ooe of the young people heing returned to the community when be should bave been placed in resideonal care. There is constant comment in the press about this situation—when will the authoritiee do somethiog? Yours sincerely, JOHN DIXON, Royal Philanthropic,

Using public records

Redhill, Surrey.

August 6.

Oxford.

August 7.

From Mr H. M. Colvin
Sir, You announce that the Public Record Office is closed because of an internal dispute over the searching of readers' cers and band-hag-gage. It is difficult to believe that this is necessary. If cars and hand-baggage cannot be searched then why csonot readers be admitted who choose to leave these impedimenta at home? Peocil, psper and a railway ricket are all that most of us need to use the public records now denied to us. Yours faithfully, H. M. COLVIN. St Joho's College,

The Opposition and labour relations

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From Mr James Prior, Conservative must be e balance. Rather, the MP for Lowestoft

Sir, It looks as though Mr Michael Foot intends to organize a campaign of systematic and deliberate misrepresentation of the asture and effects of the Opposition's amend-ments to the Trade Union and Labour Relations Act.

Two myths io particular are being fostered. The firet is that the House of Lords is alooe responsible for the crucial ameodments—the "eonics" of the "comic old nohility" as Mr Foot describes the Lords votes, with his usual respect for the perliamentary process. The eecond myth is that the Opposition's ameodmeots are—io the words of Mr Hugh Scanlon—the "beight of wanma destructiveness ".

The fact is that—as was dramatically demonstrated in the episode of the "Lever" votes—the votiog oo these ameodments at the Report stage in the House of Commons was extremely and uousually narrow. The House of Lords cannot therefore be criticized for giving the Commoos the opportunity to recoosider them.

The result was that the amendmeors were finelly adopted by a majority of the votes of the elected representatives of the people in the House of Commons; and in the end each of these successful amendments was carried with the support of one or more of the other Opposition parties in the House of Commons. Mr Foot should accept the fact that his is a minority Government, and that his party did not win a mandete in the February, 1974, geoeral election for fundsmental alterations in the balance of our traditional labour law.

As to the second myth, that the Oppositioo's amendments are beight of wanton destructiveoess", it is important to consider the

oature of the amendments of which Mr Scanloo complains. These allegedly "destructive" amendments were concerned with the question of closed shop agreements. The Opposition accepts the reality of the closed shop, and it respects the principle of collective econon which underlies it. So much is common ground.

At the same time there is also wide egreement that the principle of collective action expressed in closed shop agreements must be balanced by another principle: thet of the rights and liberties of indi-viduals. Mr Foot cooceded as much by providing in his Bill for objectioos to joining a trade union in e closed shop on "grounds of religious belief", and by indicating in his joitial Consultative Statement on the Bill that he inteoded to provide safeguards against arbitrary exclu-sion or expulsion from a union.

The question is not whether a balance should be etruck between these two priociples—even Mr Scan-lon presumably agrees that there

question is where and how this balance is to be struck. And here the majority in the House of Commoos bas voted for e balance which is more favourable to the liberties of individuals than that preferred by the Government and by some of the more powerful trade unions. The effect of the Opposiooo amendments is not to frustrate the principle of the closed sbop. What

they do is, first, to lay down the safeguards against arbitrary exclu-sion or expulsion from a union which Mr Foot himself said that be iotended to lay down. And second, the ameodmeous provide, not that there aball be no dismissal, but that compensation for unfair dismissal should be paid to an employee who is dismissed for refusing to joio the relevant union in a closed shop, (1) when he refuses on grounds of conscience to heloog to any unioo, or (2) when be has "reasooable" grounds for refusiog in helong to the particular union in quescion, or (3) when he is a member of another (3) when he is a member of another "appropriate" rade unioo. (This last poiot is a matter of particular importance to the press.) Whatever Mr Foot msy think, each of these concepts of "conscience", "reasonableness" and "appropriateoess" is perfectly capable of being filled out in the case law of the Industrial Tribunals as they deal with complaints of unfair dismissal

plaints of unfair dismissal So this is what Mr Scaulon thinks to he "the height of wanno destruc-tiveoess": the provicioo of safe-guards against arbitrary and unreasooable treatment of individuals by unions, and the provisioo of compensation for an employee who is dismissed for refusing to join a union on grounds of coo-science or because he is a member of another "appropriate" trade unioo. If Mr Scanion really thinks that this is destructive—that is, if he is oot merely looking for excuses in breaching the "social cootract"—be must bave a very curious scale of values.

We in the Conservative Party have been honestly striving to resch a settlement of the damaging and divisive question of the structure of our industrial relations law. The Trade Union and Labour Relations Act in its amended form has the support of all sections of opinion in the House of Commons, and we believe that it should now be taken as the foundation of our law oo trade union organization and on the legal framework in collective bargaining. Accordingly we have indiceted that we do not intend

further legislation in these areas. I am sure that moderate opinion in all parties will approve this deter-mination to help the country in turn the page and to open a new chapter. Yours etc. TIM PRIOR.

House of Commons. August 11.

State shipyards From Mr W. K. Purdie

Sir, Sir Iain M. Stewart's letter (August 6) might also bave said that when Upper Clyde Shipbuilders went into liquidation their order book stood at £300 million. The current state of order books is being offered as an argument against nationalization wheo experience shows that it bears no relevance in the viability of e shipbuilding com-

Additionally, since shipbuilding is to e large exteot an assembly industry, the fate of many secondary suppliers was linked to the UCS crash since they were the ultimate victims of the cash flow ineptitude. Surely the survival of such companies is unportant

It is worth recording that, at the same time as the Fairfield experimeot, Vickera Naval Yard on Tyneside undertook the installetion of MBO (management by objectives) as an effort to inject some of the basic recommendations of the Geddes Report. As soon as it showed signs of success the yard was sold out without any coosultation with senior management or careers ruined. The reason was that traditional

workers. The exercise was sum-

marily terminated and a number of

shipbuilding management were terri-fied of change and, like UCS saw obliteration as the solution. Since this exercise indicated an absence of either sensitivity or common courtesy it is a waste of time blamiog retroactive management for cooduct which to them seems normal. At the same time can they really continue to fly io the face of evidence of independent investigations?

The Geddes Commission oo Industrial Relatione, and the Booz-Allen reports on shipbuilding and the PA report on ship repairing cannot all be totally wrong. Hae the industry shown response to recommenda-tions? If so why doesn't it attrect adequate risk capital? The answer, and the consequences, are obvious and inevitable.

W. K. PURDIE, Bryn Derwen, West Street, Marlow, August 6.

Unbiased broadcasts

From Mr N. J. Young Sir, Last week I was stranded oo Crete duriog the fighting on Cyprus, and, like the many other foreigners there waiting for transport and con-cerned about the treed of events, found reliable information on the situation almost impossible to ob-taio. The Greek broadcaeting ser-vices issued only non-sup prop-agande and biased reports.

Wheo talking to either Greeks or

wheo talking to either Greeks or foreigners one often heard comments like "I'll believe that wheo I hear it on the BBC", or often Greeks who were trying in convince people of the truth of rather duhious and Turkish reports would say "I heard it on the BBC". Even among the American community, broadcasts from the local AFN station were from the local AFN station were regarded sceptically as they believed euch a government controlled statioo would be careful not to embarrass the Greek government while the United States was trying to mediete

the situation.
These evects demonstrate the continued world-wide reputation of the BBC as a source of truth and objec-

tivity, free of Government control. As such it is particularly valued in areas where all information sources are controlled to serve the purposes of the current government and trust worthy information as distinct from mere propaganda is virtually unobtainable.

The British Government in con-

sidering the reduction of BBC ex-ternal services or of increasing government control, would do well to resist such temptations in view of the almost unique place it holds io a world increasingly at the mercy of dangerous propagaoda and thought control. BBC independence could also be advantageous to the government itself in those situations. such as described above, where Britain was playing a mediating role between two sensitive antagonists. Free information could coolinue to flow without potting the government in an embarrassing position with either party. Yours sincerely,

N. J. YOUNG, 684 Lampertheim, Hesse 6, Siegfriedstrassa 4.

Pharmacists' earnings From Mr Joseph Wright

Sir. Mrs J. E. Welmn (August 7) was so right in refarring to the un-economic returns from dispensing prescriptions. The inadequate NHS remuneration of pharmacists is undoubtedly reflected in figures recently issued by the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain relating to pharmacy closures which show that of 454 pharmacies which closed in Britain in 1972, 38 per cent were closed because they were uo-economic. The position in 1973 was only fractionally better (or worse) with 455 pharmacies closed, nearly 35 per cent for economic reasons.

The advent of health centres and group practices, in which doctore are much less accessible and often overzealously guarded by receptionists, has led not only to a more impersonal service being offered by doctors but also to an increase in calls by patients on the pharmacist for advice.

The personal and professional service that the pharmacist offers is being placed in jeopardy by inadequate remuneration and, in July 29. rural areas, by doctors dispeosing their own medicines. The latter is surely usurping the primary function of the pharmacist throughout the country and any spread of this

unfortunate tendency, regardless of

"bare foot" necessity, must ulti-mately bring the very reason for the existence of the pharmacist into

real and-from the viewpoint of the public-serioue question.

The Central Committee has lodged a claim for an increase in remuneration on behalf of chemists in England and Wales. The claim is supported by representative facts and figures and oot by threats and the withdrawal of service. boped that the Secretary of State for Social Security will speedily accept that claim. Otherwise pharmacies will cootinue to close down and more and more of the public will realize the truth of the saying "you doo't miss the water until the tap runs dry

Yours faithfully, WRIGHT, Secretary, Ceotral NHS bemist Cootractors) Committee, Mallinson House. 321 Chase Road, N14.

The fight against terrorism

From Lord Hunt of Llanvair

Sir, I hope that Mr Justin Evans, as an old frieod, will forgive me for commenting publicly, if you will allow me, on his letter in yeeter-day's (August 7) Times oo the subject of combating terrorism. Clearly, there is e oeed for continuing public debate but, I feel sure, oo hasty action on thie crucial

mstter.
I would surmise that Mr Evans parodies rather than paraphrases accurately the views of "advanced" peoologists by stating on their behalf, that punishment in whatever form or degree has virtually no effect on any sort of crime. But effect on any sort of crime. But in disagreeing with such a view, by whomever it may be held, he is leading up to bis cooteotion that capital punishment should be re-introduced as one further measure in the fight (or "war") against

terroriam io this country.

He bases his case on the human inetincts of anger and disgust and he stroogly connests Beroard Levin's view that such instincts do not offer a guide in action. He claims that capital punishment for acts of terrorism or for conspiracy in such acts would receive overwhelming public support, if elicited by a refer-eodum or in an election campaign.

I have great respect for Mr

I have great respect for Mr Evans'e lucidity of thought. Like almost everyone else I sbare his feeliogs of aoger and disgust when these dastardly crimes are committed and I agree about his fore-cast of the public mood and will. But other considerations must also be aired in order to arrive at any sound conclusion in the continuing dehate. Here are a few thoughts: First, the effects of puniebment on crime must be measured by research crime must be measured by research and adduced as evidence, rather than based oo instinct influeoced by emption. Research to to the effect of abolishing capital punishment for certain categories of murder and leter, for all murdere, may be said to be incooclusive. The lack of clear indications that it has been a cause of increasing the incidence of murder was an important consideration in the decision by Parliasideration in the decision by Parliament in 1970 in ptoloog abolition

indefinitely.

Second, terrorism for political eods falls ioto quite s different order of crime that other murders. There is no adequate or valid basis for research ioto the effect of capi-tal punishment to combat such acts in Britain. We beve to look for such evidence elsewhere. In the past, we can refer to the British handling of terrorism io Palestine, Cyprus, Bengal and in particular, Ireland. Curreotly, there are several sources for study in other countries. My own reading of bistory, supported by some personal involvement in Bengal in the thirties, does not encourage me to urge haste in

imposing the extreme peoalty. Third, and following this latter point, it is a cardinal tenet of the cooduct of war, not to be lured into playing the eoemy's game. Bombing, hijacking and other foul and despicable ects are oot, as Mr Evans avers, committed "for purposes of terrorism"; they are terrorist acts for the purpose of political ends. They are inteoded, inter alia, to provoke just such a reaction as Mr Evans and all decept minded people feel, and to ioduce the action Mr Evans advocates: to produce greater martyrs, gain further support for the ideal or "cause" for which the campaign ie beiog waged by the minorities involved.

Some such crimes are inteoded to push humane and democratically mioded people beyond the edge of tolerance and into the strait-jacket of some form of police state. To he fair, there are some "causes" in aid of which war is heiog waged agaiost societ yat large which are just ceuses; but this by oo means justifies the meane employed to

attain them.

I do not deny thet the point could he reeched wheo we may have no alteroative than to fight the terrorists the wey they want us to fight. I do not question that it may he possible to crush terroriam with the additionel weapon of capital punishment, although I have grave doubts oo the matter. But it is crucially important for the time being to "keep our cool" and not be swayed by insticct or emotioo. This is a matter for Parliament, taking full account of the public mood, but also these other objective and strategic considerations. Referende and the heat of the hustings are emphatically oot the wey.

Yours truly, JOHN HUNT, Highway Cottage. Aston, Near Henley oo Thames, Oxfordshire.

Rule by power groups

From Mr S. Wolter Butterworth Sir, Lord Chalfonr's sobering contribution (August 5) reminds me that King John probebly resented the intrusion of the harous at Runnymede egaiost hie sovereign power. I have no doubt that Charles dido't like his head heing cut off a few ceoturies later.

The nobility and geouy ran the country for a long time until the industrial revolution. Then the "iroo masters" mok over. Now we find that the "National Unioo of Mineworkers" brought down the brought down the government of the day.

I see no reason for alarm. Our so cslled "democracy" bas never heeo democratic. We have always been governed by power groups. All we are experiencing now is a slightly different power group. "Plus ca change..." We shall get by as we bave always done. Yours hopefully, S. WALTER BUTTERWORTH. 16 Glen Cbesa, Loudwater Lane.

This season's Proms

Rickmansworth, Herts.

August 6.

From Mr A. H. Barnes
Sir, Would anyone sgree that the
Proms this season bave been for
many years the least enjoyable? The new ideas may be acceptable to the intelligent promeoader. But it is not bis tickets that pay the

piper.
Youre faithfully.
A. H. BARNES,
38 Mootague Ro 38 Mootague Road, Richmond, Surrey.



COURT **CIRCULAR**

HM YACHT BRITANNIA

August 10: The Prince o Nales, as Colonel-In-Chief, this evening attended the Annual Reunion Dinner of The Royal Regiment of Wales at The Barracks, Brecon. August 11: The Prince of Wales, as Colonel-in-Chief, The Royal Regiment of Wales, this morning attended Church Parade in Brecon

YORK HOUSE ST JAMES'S PALACE

August 10: The Ducbess of Kent today attended the Charity Race Meeting at Newmerket which was beld in aid of the Arthritis and Rheumatism Council, of which Her Royal Highness is Patron. Miss Jane Pugb was in attend-

Christening

The infant twin son and daughter of M and Mme Claude H. Maurin were baptized Edmood Peter and Constance on Sunday, August 11, at All Saints, Cockley Cley, Norfolk, by Canon H. C. Blackburne, assisted by the Rev L. Kitchen. The godparents for the boy are the Hon Mark Balfour, M Jean-Claude Lecoeur and Mrs Gervase Thomas, and for the girl they are Mr Joho A. Longworth, Viscountess Downe and Mme Jean-Paul Saillard.

Today's engagements

Exhibition: Ancient Palestine, 3100BC—AD640, British Museum, Great Russell Street, 10—5.
Exhibition: Colditz, escape equipment including forged identity cards, maps and handmade keys, Imperial War Museum, Lambeth Road, 10—6.

Dolls: Study of their history and development, 1750—1970, Beth-nal Green Museum, Cambridge Heath Road, 10—6. Golden Hinde: Authentic replica of Drake's ship, Tower Pier, near Tower of London, 10-9.

Appointments in the Forces Royal Navy

SURCEON REAR ADMIRAL: J. Hunter, ret itst Sep 16. SURCEON REAR ADMIRAL: J. HUNEN; ret [1st Sep 16.

CAPTAIN: T. 3. Homan, to be Rear Admiral, Jan 7, 75. to be Our Cen Naval Porsonal Services, in scie rank of Rear Admiral, Oct 1974.

SURCSON CAPTAIN: J. 8. Riichle, Staft Med Off to MCRM Commando Forces and Pres of Ceni Royal Marins Med Brd Jan 13, 75.

COMMANOERS: C. W. C. Swinley, Min of Oef With Vice Chief Naval Staff Aue 13; J. F. Blowart, EXCELLENT as Cmndr PHOENIX NBCO Sch Sep 3; C. II. Fowler, Min of Oef With Oir Cen Ships (OPT) Aug 3; R. R. W. Rumble, APOLLO as Sq Weapons Elect Off 2nd Application of the Command Committed Oct 15.

INSTRUCTOR COMMANHER: P. W. Hockley, Min of Def with Oir Naval Educa Serv. Jan 10, 75.

LIEUTENANT-COMMANOER: G, C, N. Davis, Min of Oct with Vice-Chief Naval Elass i Sette Fank of Commander; Oct 2.

COLONEL, COMMANDANT: Mai-Gen J. M. W. Badceck appld Col Condil R Signals, Age 1.

R Signals, L Se Sol HG Locky L Service L Se Royal Air Force

The Army

GROUP CAPTAINS: O. G. Groucher to flept of CAS. MOO. Aug 16; P. J. Murch 10 J. W. E. Old Sarum os Chlef, Doctrins and flowolopment, Aug 16.

Most of Lago Puehlo, which is roughly circular, is less than one meire deep, but the deep pool was probed down to 5.25 metres. The

Forthcoming marriages

Mr R. P. Bowles and Miss R. B. Goyder The engagement is anounced between Robert, only son of Mr and Mrs H. G. Bowles, of Wohurn Sanda, Buckinghamshire, and Rosa lind, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs D. G. R. Goyder, of Brentford

Mr A. C. J. Brook and Miss M. C. C. Hopkins A marriage has been arranged and

will take place shortly between Anthony, elder son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Brook, of Eastielgh, and Maureen, only deughter of Mr and Mrs Francis Hopkins, of 1 Wall

Mr W. P. N. L. Ewart

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, elder son of Mr and Mrs W. J. Ewart, Colislinn. Hawick, and Gillian, elder daugh ter of Mr and Mrs R. A. Cooper The Hall, Hampstead.

Mr E.-X. C. Fletcher and Miss A. C. R. Bruce

and Miss A. C. R. Bruce
The engagement is announced between Eugène-Xavier Charles
Fletcher, of 78 Chatsworth Court,
Pembroke Road, London, W8, only
son of Mr Simon Fletcher and Mrs
Egremont-Lee, and Alexandra.
only daughter of the late Mr lan
Bruce, MC, and of Mrs lan Bruce,
of Highfield, Bells Yew GreenFrant, Sussex.

Mr R. C. L. Gregory
and Miss C. Goddard
The engagement Is announced
between Roy Gregory, of Ewell,
Surrey. and Charlotte, elder
deughter of Lieutenant-Colonel and
Mrs C. C. Peter Goddard, of
Worplesdon, Surrey.

Mr P. J. T. Svehlik and Miss R. M. C. Marsh and Miss R. M. C. Marsh
The engagement is announced
between Paul, son of Mr J. P.
Svehlik, OBE, and Mrs Svehlik, of
Jarmila, College Avanue, Grays,
Essex, and Carla, daughter of Mr
Jasper Marsh and the late Mignon
Marsb, of 32 Sbeep Street. Stratford-on-Avon, Warwickshire.

Mr J. H. McLeod-Hatch and Mrs J. H. Fletcher

The engagement is announced herween John McLeod-Hatch, of Studdridge Street, London, SW6. and Jinny Fletcher, of St Luke's Street, London, SW3.

Marriages

Mr P. F. G. Newson-Smith and Mrs M.-A. Owens The marriage took place on Saturday at St Mary's, West Chiltington, Sussex, of Mr Peter Newsonton. Sussex, of Mr Peter Newson-Smith, only son of Sir John Newson-Smith, of 39 Godfrey Street, SW, and Vera Lady Newson-Smith, of Ditchlings, Har-borough Hill, West Childington, Sussex, and Mrs Mary-Ann Owens, only daughter of Mr and Mrs Cyril C. Collins, of 12 Mayor Close, Old Woodcook, Ordenstring The Rev

C. Collins, of 12 Mayor Close, Old Woodstock, Oxfordshire. The Rev K. A. Lucas and the Rev J. Morrison (cousin of the bride) took part in the service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and Mr David Bartlett was best man.

A reception was held at Ditchlings, West Childington, and the honeymoon will be spent in Florence.

Mr J. Courtauld and Miss P. Worboys The marriage took place in Cambridge on August 10 between Mr Julien Courtauld and Miss Patricia Worboys.

Mr N. L. J. Montagu and Miss J. F. Geodes The marriage took place on Thursday, August 8, in Wiltshire, of Mr Nicbolas Montegu and Miss Jennian Geddes.

Birthdays today

Sir Frederick Bourne, 83; Dame Emma Clode, 71; Air Marsbal Sir Maurice Heath, 65; Professor V. F. Lambert, 75; Major-General Sir John Laurie, 82; Sir Leslie Phillips, 80; Major-General E. P. Readman, 81; Sir David Renton, QC, MP, 66; Lord Rhodes, 79; Mr Frank Swinnerton, 90; Sir Duncan Wilson, 63.

Ball Bembridge Sailing Club

The annual ball of the Bembridge Sailing Cluh was held at Bem-bridge, Isle of Wight, on Saturbridge, Isle of Wight, on Saturday. Among those present, some of whom brought parties, were:
Major-Goneral R. A. Hgol teommodore; and Mrs Ploot. Major G. R. Saymour (vica-commodore) and the Mon Mrs Saymour. Mr and the Mon Mrs Islaw, and Coohless St Aldwyn, the Earl of Callesborough. the Earl of Collesham. Lord and Goohless St Aldwyn, the Earl of Calleshorough. The Earl of Collesham. Lord and Browners of Collesham. Lord and Hone Stabuzon, the Hon Shockloton. Lord Fairfax of Cameron, the Hon Shockloton. Hone of the Moore-Brabazon, the Hon Hon and Lady Flizparick. St. Hertick and Lady Chingson Hobert. Sir Michael and Lady Chingson Hobert. Sir Huehael and Lady Marnham. Or Republic Bennall. MP. and Mrs Bennett. Mr. John and Lady Sylvia Mailby. Mr. and Mrs P. Crimaldi. Mr. and Mrs Gordon Walker. Mr. and Mrs J. R. E. Peel. Mr and Mrs K. J. Howker. Mr. and Mrs E. Morani, Mr. Sam Browne. Commander and Mrs J. V. Bullon. Ir and Mrs R. G. Nainby-tuxmoore and Mr and Mrs R. G. Nainby-tuxmoore and Mrs and Mrs Vernon Stratton.

Latest wills

Latest estates include (net, before duty paid; further duty may be payable on some estates):
Foy, Mrs Eleanor Margaret, of Circencester (duty paid, £65,694)
£130,293 Horton, Mrs Beatrice Curtis, of

Horsbam, Sussex (duty paid, 35,895) .. _ .. £98,483 £35,895) £98,483 Ludlow, Mrs Helen Florence, of Bidford-on-Avon, Warwickshire (duty paid, £26,383) £108,004 Manley, Mr Herbert, of Cbeadle Hulme, Cbeshire, brewer (duty paid (£19,327) £80,283 paid (£19,327) ... £80,283 Scholes, Mr William Asbton, of Stratford upon Avon (duty paid, £84,062) ... £174,780 £84,062] ...£174,780 Strange, Mrs Lella Maud, of Didcot, Oxfordshire (duty paid, £20,290) ...£203,617 Taylor, Mr Ronald William Whinnerah, of Torquay (duty paid, £29,407] ...£89,576

Latest appointments

Latest appointments luclude: Mr Henry James, bead of the Department of the Environment's information directorate, to succeed Mr F. D. Bickerton as director-general of the Central Office of Information.



leaving London on Friday for a visit to Brazil.

Struggle, not submission, is Jewish answer to suffering

Religious Affairs Correspondent Some of those who abandon the practice of their religion do so not through gradual and growing apathy but in moments of personal crisis, when their need for spiritual comfort is greatest. By then, it is useless for their pastors to blame them for weakness of faith—the Christian affirmation of the goodness of God, has become a bollow mockery, and the greater the previous degree of faith the greater the sense of the struggle against misfortune rather than submission to it. By Clifford Longley of faith the greater the sense of rejection

Might there therefore be something lacking in contemporary Christian spirituality? wbole focus of the Christian understanding of pain and loss is upon the Cross, the redemptive power of suffering made manifest. It is a lesson of passivity, of acceptance of pain in a state of quiet submission to the will of God. For some who suffer, particularly the incurably sick, this is a source of greet strength and comfort. But for other states and conditions of a suffering mankind it may not be enough.

tions can afford is rapidly becom-

ing of direct concern to producers

and consumers in every part of the world; the food difficulties of the

iodustrially and agricultorally developed world and those of

developing nations are directly

The idea for this conference of

government representatives came

from Algiers at last autumn's

meeting of the non-aligned coun-

tries and was later suggested by

Dr Kissinger at the United Nations

The conference is being held in

Rome at the invitation of the

Italian Government, with the UN

Food and Agriculture Organizanon playing the leading part in its organization. British involve-

Science report

and increasingly related.

in September.

The Jewish Information Service has been set up to make the spiritual content of Judaism better known in Britain, not just to non-practising Jews in the bope that they will return to their faith, and not just as an artifact to the that they will return to their faith, and not just as an antidote to the Ignorance that breeds anti-Semitism. The founders of the Information service helieve that Indaism bes something to say to modern man whatever his religious heritage. Their efforts will earn all the more respect hecause of the high quality of their publications so far, and because Judaism is notained with their publications so far, and because Judaism is notainted with the vested interests essociated with proselytism, seeking con-

stocks, particularly grain. Fuel

costs and the fertilizer shortage

An important subject likely to

he on the agenda is trade and

agricultural adjustment. It is being

strongly urged on the conference

hy the developing countries but

others believe it should be left

to the General Agreement on Tar-

iffs and Trade and the UN Con-

ference on Trade and Development.

optimism and pessimism on expanding food production in devel-

oping countries. Production in the

poor harvest year of 1972 was,

There are grounds both for

also will be discussed.

The pamphiet has a lot to say to those whose Christianity may seem inadequate in moments of great personal stress. Undonbtedly great personal stress. Undonbredly a proportion of those who are "turned off" the main Christian traditions in Britain are allenated not because (as some have suggested) they caunot tolerate the pace of change in the churches or because that pace is too slow, hut because Christianity bas put too much emphasis on the ways of God and not enough on the ways up man.

Production is the main concern at world food talks

sion of food production in the By a Special

Agriculture

Correspondent

development.

oping countries. Production in the poor harvest year of 1972 was, overall, a fifth greater than in the previous poor year of 1966. But The question of building non-lncreased production bas not commercial grain stacks becomes

matched increases in population

and progress has varied widely in

different areas. The fuel and

fertilizer crises also are restricting

The immediate Issue Is the alle-

The immediate Issue Is the alleviation of the effects of the fuel situation on poorer countries. These ere two-pronged: the disastrous direct effect of higher prices in countries that do not produce oil and the indirect due to the undermining of the economies of the traditional sources of aid. It is boped that the conference will lead to the setting up of a fund

will lead to the setting up of a fund which will attract oil money; to date the only significant contribu-tion by the oil states to aid or

I suffer? He writes: "As we have seen, it will note that suffernave seen, it will note that surfering rises out of the world as it is
constituted end Judaism suggests
that mankind can and must improve that world. It does not
suggest that all aspects of the universe can be hand-tailored to sult
individuals. Creative conflicts individuals. Creative conflicts

suggested) they cannot tolerate the pace of change in the churches or because that pace is too slow, hut because Christianity bas put too much emphasis on the ways of God and not enough on the ways of man.

Rabbi Friedlander recalls the story told by Martin Buber, the grear Jewisb spiritual writer, of two Russian peasants slumped over a table in a tavero. Rousing himself out of a baze composed of weariness and grief, one reaches over to the other and cries out: "Ivan, you know that I love you. You know that I love you. You know that I am your brother!"

Yes'', the other says, "I know. But tell me, little brother, where is my pain?"

"Tran, how can I know that?"

That knowledge, Buber says, "Beceuse you cannot love me unless you know where my pain is "Ivan replies.

That knowledge, Buber says, comes through shared suffering. Rabbi Friedlander does not claim for Judaism any final

Union, recently expressed the view of many when he told an American audience that the rehulding world

food stocks should start immedi-

He referred to concern ex-

pressed at this year's conference

of the International Federation of

Agricultural Producers that, un-

less mechanisms for international

cooperation could be created,

stocks could depress prices on the

His view was that It was necessary to establish a direct link between the reference price concept (or maximum/minimum price ranges) and a multilateral com-

mitment to acquire stocks when prices fell and to release them when prices rose, all operations heing supervised by an international council for the commodity

The United States has not

favoured the international com-modity agreement approach in the past and importing countries bave not favoured a sharing of the cost of holding stocks. However, cir-cumstances have obsiged radic-

world market later on.

examination, eod does bring us to the tealization of self-inflicted pains rising out of our own imper-fections. The teachings of Job's friends are not to be ignored: suffering can ennoble, cso teach virtues, ran bring us near to our fellow man. But it also brings us pear to God—and Judaism bas experienced the love of God to the point where love cannot bethe point where Jews cannot be-lieve that human suffering is a necessary and permanent aspect of Divine creation.

"In time, human imperfections can be overcome. Perhaps this hope is irranional, but it is recreated in every ege by some per-sons. Meanwhile, suffering is a spur goading us towards the task of creating a just society. We will walk different ways. The Jewish mystic can find compensation for felt enguish through an encounter with the Divine which mey make him welcome suffering—but he must pot forget the ethical task commanded him at the moment of the encounter. The rationalist must not ignore the non-rational aspects of human experience. And a people must not forget its neighbours."

Suffering, A Jewish Fiew, by
Albert H. Friedlander (Jewish
Information Service, 34 Upper
Information, W1;

governments of all developing

countries to give priority to agri-

cultural development; obtain a

realistic assessment of the rate at

which expansion will take place:

and urge that developed countries should include provision for stock maintenance and food eid re-quirements in their national pro-

quirements in their national pro-duction planning and gradually phase only the speculative element

of trade in respect of basic foods.

We must envisage a trend to-wards greater self-sufficiency in essential foods in all countries, or economic groups, and it ful-lows from this that expansion

nows from this that expansion beyond domestic needs plus a percentage for security and for aid will not be desirable. The crident current Canadien thinking on limitation of production of certain products may not he such a bad idea either for the producer or the consumer if it brings to bill by

The production of food in excess of domestic need and ald committees is no good to the who cannot afford it and merely leads to a chain reoction ending with hankrupt farmers and more hungry people.

stabillty.

From Harry Golombek Chess Correspondent Clacton-on-Sea

There was no change among the Bellin with 4.

games between the leaders did not take place. No fewer than 11 of the 15 games were drawn, mostly without any real fight. Mestel end Webb set the pattern with a per-functory draw in 15 moves and the Botterill-Bellin game was only a little lower.

Botterill-Bellin game was only a little longer.

One had to move farther down the table to find hard fought games: to Bartston v Hempson, where the defending champion hed to fight desperately hard to save the draw, or to Williams v Bennett. In which the Welsh international disposed of his opponent most efficiently. efficiently

iclently.

Touch sta: Messet 4. F. Webb 4. I

Bellin 4. Hartston 4. Spellman

Law 5. Spellman

Line 4. Hendel 4. Haygarth

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Holloway 4. Williams 1. Bennett

Mabbs 0. Homer 1. Wiss B. Khox

Lennox 4. Hardy 4. Pedrose

Webb 4. Sieclatt 6. Garke 0.

Janson 1. Thoroas 4. Lightfoot had

note.

major open with 51 pts out of 6. The following game was played in round three : CARO KANN DEFENCE

ty B-K5 Ki/Ki31- 40 B-B7 44 R:R6:- Q-K15 20 P-B4 21 B-Kt2 K1-K13 42 K1-K5 resigns

Energy: Power from hot brine was fairly uniform, stabilizing in the mid-40s Centigrade when a depth of 75 cm was reached. depth of 75 cm was reached.

The University of Windsor team reports that the edges of the thermocline layer could be seen clearly during dives, and appeared as "sharp, uneven planes". The dansity layering of the water in the pool closely follows the temperature variation and the visible layering, with a surface layer baving density just over one gram per cubic centimetre giving way over the same range of depths as the thermocline to a brine with density close to 1.15 gm per cc.

It seems that the heating of energy. According to a report in Science, appreciable solar energy can be trapped in this way even in temperate and polar laritudes. The discovery which stimulated the report was made at tropical latindes, on the island of Gran Roque in the Venezuelan Antilles. In December, 1973 Br P. P. Hudec and Dr P. Sonnenfeld, of the University of Windsor, Ontario, visited the island to study the formation of manual associations.

formation of gypsum and associa-ted carbonates in the island's lagoous. They found that the bottom waters of the main lagoon It seems that the heating of the pool can be explained in terms of solar bearing, which is enhanced by the way the density gradient affects the refractive index of the water. were nincomfortably hot in the range 44°C to 47°C, and decided to investigate that phenomanon as well.

The Island rises to 115 metres above sea level at the western end, but the easiern part is flat and has a series of interconnected lagoons. The westermost lagoon, Lago Pueblo, where the hot brines were found, is unusual because it has a deep pool near its southwestern edge.

Most of Lago Pueblo, which is

index of the water.

For an average depth of one metre, 64 per cent of the snn's energy would be absorbed by clear water, the lagoon is slightly murky, so this is an underestimate. But hecause the refractive index of the water increases with salinity, all the solar rays reflected from the bottom of the lagoon at angles of less than 11° are trapped, and their energy completely absorbed. Finally, the remainder of the solar energy is again at least 64 per cent absorbed on the way back to the surface.

water in the lagoon comes mainly from the sca. via the adjacent lagoon, but some fresh water runs into the lagoon from a stream. Dr Hndec and Dr Sonnenfeld calculate that about 4 per cent It seems that the fresher water forms a layer over the dense brine, and that the layering is related to the heating of the pool. calculate that about 4 per cent of the solar energy is completely trapped. So 32 per cent (100-64-4-32) travels upwards through the hrine, and only about 10 per cent of the original energy (32-64 of 32) ever escapes. In other words, 90 per cent of the incident solar energy is absorbed by the brine. From the surface down to a depth of 27 centimetres the water was relatively cool, with temperanure increasing from 25°C to 26.7°C. At a depth of 30 cm a 26.7°C. At a depth of 30 cm a sharp temperature gradient, or thermoeline. was established, which took the measured temperature up to 43.3°C at a depth On a cloudless day at the latitude of the Venezuelan Antiles, this means that an energy of 300 British thermal units is trapped by each square foot of lagoon in each hour. That is equivalen to 79 kilogram calories per metre per of 53 cm an increase of more than half a degree per centimetre. Below 53 cm, the temperature

day in the summer rainy season, and slightly less during the rains preceding the winter solution.

preceding the winter solution.

But why should the heat trapped in this way be retained by the pool? It seems that the freshwater layer near the surface provides insulation which prevents the brine's heat from being radiated away. When Dr Sonnenfeld visited the lagoon at times when the water level was low and the freshwater layer almost non-existent, the temperature of the lagoon water was nowhere more than seven or eight degrees above that of the air. The University of Windsor team

mentions in the article in Science previous studies of artificial brine reservoirs in New York and natural lakes in Somaliland, Washington State and Antarctica which show the same kind of density and temperature leyering. Solar ponds in Israel have been

solar ponds in israci nave been nsed to tap solar energy. Reservoirs one metre deep are lined with black material, for maximum absorption, and filled half with brine and half (the top 50 cm) with fresh water. Energy trapped in this way is used to produce electricity. Because the density of the brine even when hot is still greater than that of the cool fresh water, the bottom layer will not mix into the insulating layer. Dr Hodec and Dr Sonnenfeld suggest that "density-stratified brines in natural or artificial reservairs should be re-

artificial reservairs should be reconsidered as solar energy collectors " even in polar and temperate
lantudes. "Appreciable solar
energy can be trapped", and
"the chief advantages of such
collectors are their relatively low
cost of construction and maintenance and the high efficiency of
energy absorption." By Nature-Times News Service. Science, August 2 (185, 440 ; 1974].

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Archaeology report **Northampton:** Saxon concrete mixer

Little archaeological work has been undertaken in Northampton until recent years, but excavations just completed have thrown interesting light on the origin and later development of the town. Discoveries include what scems to have been a Saxon concrete mixer.

An area about 55 metres long by 30 metrea wide in St Peter's Street, Immediately east of the cburch, including the street liself and the frontages on both sides, which were largely uncellared, was stripped. A sequence of occupation from Saxon, possibly earlier, times was established. The chronology quoted in the summary of the excavations below cannot be regarded as definitive being based purety on the preliminary examination of the artifacts.

At the west end of the site a

At the west end of the site a dicto about 4 metres wide by 1.5 metres deep was cut into the natural ironstone bedrock. The dirh seemed to follow the natural constant of the bedrock and the seemed to follow the natural constant of the bedrock and applications. tours of the land and prohably defined a defensive enclosure on the promontory where St Peter's church now stands. No datable material was recovered but a pre-historic or Saxon routext is most A recollnear timber huilding of

post in slot and individual posts was creeted over the Infilling of the ditch and probably dated to the minth century. Two other timber buildings a fittle to the east were probably roughly contemporary. Sometimes during the minth century, probably the first half, three concrete mixers were constructed, again at the west end of the site. Circular bowls (two were 2 metres in diameter and one 3 metres) had been cut into the natural ironstone and lined with wattle work. Each bowl bad a substantial central post-Layers ol concrete and mortar

had built up within two of the bowls and preliminary examination indicates that burnt lime was one

of the constituents. In one of the mixers, several grooves, concentri-

clear that the central post hole was a plyot probably supporting a beam from which paddles were suspended, the whole being capstan driven. All the recovered tacts support some form of mechanized concrete mixer.

In addition to the purely technological interest of the conrect mixers, the dmber buildings and mixers are important in demonstrating a pre-Danish settlement at Northampton only previously hinted at. The mixing of large quantifies of concrete and mortar seems to iodicate a substantial stone building near by. Such structures are certainly uncommon at that period and it must be asked whether St Peter's church, known to be of pre-Conquest origin, dates at least from that period.

At least two periods of imber buildings were laid out on top of the mortar mixers and underneath the later street line. At a similar date four sunken fluor dwellings were constructed at the east cml of the site. They were simple retrained. date four sunken floor dwellings were constructed at the east end in the site. They were simple recrangular structures, the largest being approximately 4 by 3 metres. In each case a single post hole centrally placed at either end probably supported a rulge piece. The claracter of the peripanon debris on two of the "floors" strongly supports the lifea that they were the actual floors rather than hollows tielow planked floors. The nutrery below planked floors. The pattery and a coin of Aethelatan suggest an

and a coin of Aethelstan suggest an early tenth-contary date.

The dwellings and the other features described were randomly arranged and in no way respected the later street line. Sometime hetween 950 and 1100 (it is us yet tween 950 and 1100 (it is us yet impossible to be more precise) the site underwent a radical change. Timber dwellings were laid out parallel to and on either side of a street following roughly the line of the present street. Whether that was due to deliberate planning or normal growth is uncertain. normal growth is uncertain.

Probably from sometime in the thirteenth century some of the buildings were reconstructed in stone on the same lines as the preceding timber hilldings. Finally, and perhaps in the fifteenth century the whole street was fined with stone terraces on either side. Twelve houses were identified trainedly eight merze by

more urgent and more difficult with every deteriorating harvest report from North America and elsewhere. Yet Professor Asher Winegarten, deputy directorgeneral of the National Farmers' what it can do is to stimulate governments of all developing

identified typicelly eight metres by four metres with long side on street. Floors were of clay and the houses divided into two roughly square rooms by a central screen. The walls were substantially built of Ironstone masonry. Corporally the walls would have been carried up in stone at least one storey but whether the upper storey was stone or timber is impossible to determine. Between possible to determine. Between two of the houses on the south side of the street were a pair of maitroaying overs well built in stone and sunk into the ground. The uniformity of the house plans and constructional details in their final form is most striking, perhaps even indicating a single huilding operation by one landowner.

In about 1500 the whole of the street was hurst down, represented by a destruction level of ash and other hurst material covering the nther hurnt material covering the whole of the site. The north side of

whole of the site. The north side of the street was converted to gard-ens, a use which continued until the nineleenth contary when houses and stables were erected. The exact post medieval history of the south side of the street is more difficult hut a tannery occupied approximately a 20 metre stretch; eight rlay fined pits in which the hides would have been steeped produced sevenleenth century pattery. Houses and other hulldings are known to have been built from the By John Williams, archaeological officer, Northampton Development Corporation.

Ci Times Newspapers Ltd, 1974.

25 years ago From The Times of Thursday, August 11, 1949.

Indian language

From Our Correspondent Delhi, August 10.—The con-troversy over a national language for India, in which millions of words have been sald or written in recent months by protagonists of this or that script, is likely to reach its rilmax in the Constituent reach its rilmax in the Constituent Assembly this weekend, when Article 99 of the draft constitution, providing that parliamentary business shall be conducted in Hindi or English, will be considered. Legislators who are unable to express themselves adequately in either language are permitted, by a proviso in the article, to address the House in their mother tongue. So much heat has been generated in this controversy, in which eminent philologists as well as demangques whose monives eminent philologists as well as demagogues whose motives pursibly are less pure have engaged, that the Congress working committee, which hitherto has not hesitated to fulfil its role of outspoken mentor when it has seemed called for on "national" occasions, on this has given the Country no lead country no lead

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University news

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Webb still leading in Clacton chess

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OBITUARY DR J. MIRO CARDONA Leader of

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Batista. Appalled by its cesses, he spent years out

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Sir Roy Marshall writes:

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Dr José Miró Cardon, the first prime minister in Cardon, the revolutionary government later defected to become the United States, died Puerto Rico on Sarvage of 71 Puerto Rico on Saturday at a age of 71. age of 71.

Miró, a small but he looking man, was an able apassionate orator. Born Havana, he took a degree political, social and econe sciences at Havana University 1937, became a doctor of 1937, became

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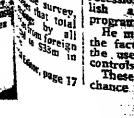
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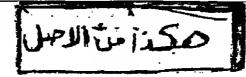
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THE TIMES **BUSINESS NEWS**

Keith Cardale, Groves & Co. Chartered Surveyors 43 North Audley St., Grosvenor St., London, W1Y 2AQ, Tel: 01-629 6504

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Jack is the latest in a per of eminent industrial-who have spoken out indi-ully, as well as through the tive voice of the Confedon of British Industry, st the Benn takeover plans.

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expected to show signs of derable softening and compared with er drafts promoted by Mr twood Benn, the Secretary ate for Industry and others te left wing of the Labour

his letter, which will be panied by a 3,000-word let detailing the company's rmance and its contributo Britain, Sir Jack said: IR III (A bas always cooperated with governments of difcomplexions in seeking illd a strong and growing my and will continue to in the future".

e main argument put forfor more government rention, Sir Jack continued, tha need to resolve what termed "a range of strial problems". The main specified related to low itment, inflation, poor the industrial relations culties, regional imbalance,

ferring to investment, the 10 years the company had t more than £1,000m in the ad Kingdom, and this year pected to sanction expendiof over £200m. This repred an 80 per cent increase ne previous year, and was times more than the total 972. The ability to pay for expenditure, bowever ded on earning reasonable

inflation, be pointed out

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for oil By Maurice Corina

Sir Jack Callard: Group has

that while over the same 10-year

period, average raw material

prices bad increased by 80 per cent and wages and salaries by 113 per cent, ICI's own product prices had gone up on average only 14 per cent because of

improved technology and pro-

So far as growth was con-cerned, Sir Jack added, the group's production in the United

Kingdom had risen over the

decade by an average of 8.5 per cent annually, compared with an average annual rate of

3.5 per cent for manufacturing industry as a whole.

The company had also pioneered and developed systems of consultation between workers

of consultation between workers and management right up to board level. It would continue to improve these systems and encourage its employees to participate in decisions which affected them, and take more responsibility in making the humans successful

husiness successful.
In response to governmental encouragement, ICI had channelled more than 80 per cent of its United Kingdom investment

to development areas in the past

five years and about 70 per cent of its workforce lived in thesa

By Tim Congdon

A series of important economic indicators are due to be published this week. They will be watched carefully for signs

of any improvement or deterio-

ration in the economic situa-

Despite the weakness of the capital markets, the crisis of confidence has not so far had

any adverse effect on sterling. Tuesday's balance of payments

for July will therefore possibly be important to an assessment of the currency's short-term

The recent problems of con-tinental banks have thinned

the foreign exchange markets end this would make it diffi-cult for the sort of speculative

attack on sterling found in the late 1960s to develop. But deal-

ers' willingness to take up positions is clearly likely to be

influenced by changes in the

balance of payments.

A further reduction io the

non-oil deficit is generally expected because the impact of

three-day working on exports,

which was probably adverse in

the sacond quarter, must now be receding. But the oil deficit

Trade figures may offer

key to sterling prospects

continue.

goes ahead with majority shareholdings in the 14 known oil-

This figure does not allow for inevitable rises in North Sea development costs, slippage problems in the programme, or the setting up of the British National Oil Corporation. If the calculations are correct then they suggest that the Government, despite the greater revenue obtained from oil with

old argument, which is that if the Government wants m in-crease its share of the North Sea oil revanue (and un-dountedly it should do so) it can do, so through the tax system", the City newsletter says. "There is no necessity for majority participation in the known fields."

areas. Support for this aspect of government policy would mance, he pointed out, had in-volved a 38 per cent increase in exports from the United Kingdom last year to more than £400m, exceeding its imports by some £220m.

The group accepted that in any organization involving buman enterprise there was always room for improvement and there was a good deal to he done in ICI—although be be-lieved the group had demonstrated its competence in run-ning the business.

finance plan

Industrial Edimr

Demands are growing within the City for early clarification of the Government's plans for funding an estimated £1,799m share of North Sea development costs. It is alleged that the Exchequer mey have to find £644m outside borrowings if it goes hard with prairies share.

Loodoo & Dominion Trust, part of the Standard and Chartered Banking Group, saya in a newsletter, now being widely studied in the City: "Already rumours are heginning to circulate that potential financiers for the collaboration of the collab future oil development plans are calling a balt to negotiations pending the clarification of the Government's actual intentions with regard to the futura of North Sea oil." The trust claims that the

Government's £1,799m share of the anormous development costs is a "very conservative" esti-mate, not taking eccount of inflation (the base figure of £1,200 per planned harrel production, used to make the estimate, may with inflation go as high as £1,950 pphp). About 90 per cent of the state costs—£1,619m—may have to be raised through overseas loans. Detailed calculations indicate

that if the Government carries out its pledge for 51 per cent actual participation in all known North Sea fields, an additional fe44m may bave to be spent, taking account of interest and capital payments and costs not raised through loans.

public participation, could he "nut of pocket" by 1980.
"One can only reiterate the City feeling is that it is

unlikely the Government will be able to defer interest payments dard Bank's experts have prepared detailed figures suggest-ing the interest bill alone for 1977 could amount to betweeo £849m and £1,075m. International bankers are con-

International bankers are con-cerned that the Department of Energy's plans for giving the atate majority stakes in North-Sea oilfields is complicating tha task of judging the British economy's ability to bandle a buge risa in overseas indebted-ness against tha security of North Sea oil.

mooths and this trend mey continue.

The balance of payments outturn this autumn will partly

depend on the behaviour of

industrial production and retail sales. The latest figures

for these are both due today.
Industrial production has
still not recovered to its level

of last year. This mey be attributable to shortages nf components caused by the three-day week and other supply constraints, or to weakness

If industrial production shows no signs of picking up, some observers may conclude

that the drop in demand is now

bolding companies back.

Retail sales have been very

depressed recently. In the second quarter they were 2, per cent lnwer than in the first quarter, which was itself lower than the average for 1973. But the June figures

sbowed some recovery fram the extremely low May level. The low level of domestic demand will contribute to a

strengthening of the balance of payments if industrial produc-

City anxious to hear Benn Coal shortage looms over Europe to hear Benn By Business News Staff timed to fall helind production of puclear canacity many believed it was possible to the state of puclear canacity many believed it was possible to the state of the state of puclear canacity many believed it was possible to the state of the state of

Europe could face an acute tion targets.

sbortage of coal in the early part of the next dacade if the commissioning of nuclear generating capacity is delayed. The shortfall could extend heyond well he a shortfall in the avail-

This warning contained in a detailed study on the future of coal in the context of changes io energy demand after the Middle East October war, and the action of members of the Committee of the probable pattern of supply and demand, the study indicated the action of members of the Organisation of Petroleum Exproduction targets.

Both the British Steel Corporation and the Central Elec-

ricity Generating Board have told the NCB recently that they would saek to increase sushstan-nally their imports of coal to ensure supplies if the NCB con-

The policyholders and unit

holders of the insurance and uoit trust off-shoots of Triumph

Investment Trust, the secondary financial group which reported a £19.5m loss after tax this weekend, should be entirely safe, Mr G. T. Whyte, the group's chief executive, claimed vecterday.

group's chief executive, claimed yesterday.

Triumpb's insurance subsidiary has a liquidity safeguard in the form of about film placed on deposit with the clearing banks. The unit trust side is also well placed to meet any sales of units by tha public with film to f20m placed with the clearing banks, ba added, and there bas been no intermingling of the assets of various parts of the group.

group.

Triumph is trying to find buyers for its assets and the group is being dismantled as a

result of the disastrous effect

of the secondary hanking crisis

About £20m cash has been injected into the company by the "lifeboat" committee of the

Bank of England and the clear-

ing hanks so far this year, giv-ing Triumph breathing space in

which to carry out a programme

on its activities.

of disposals.

that by the start of the next decade, European demand for porting Countries, comes at a coal from overseas sources rime in Brizain when important could he 70-105 million metric customers of the National Coal toos a year. Yet, the supply Board are expressing doubt at the board's ability to meet its metric toos. metric tons.

If demand for imported coal

hy Japan and other countries was included, total demand would rise to 160 million metric tons-195 million metric tons agaiost a total supply of 135 million metric tons.

By 1985 the situation should

Policyholders safe while Triumph

dismantled, chief executive says

But the study, published today by Maritime Transport Research, part of the Shipbuilders and Repairers National Association and Repairers National Association in the clear capacity proceeded well—so that total supply could amount to 195 million metric tons against a demand for between 145 million -185 million metric mas. The report is sceptical of the

prospects for the unimpeded installation of nuclear capacity throughout the world. In the early part of the next decade the larger EEC countries would have to commission three or four new plants every year to meet tar-gers. It suggested that one serious eccidant could alienata public opinion and present a fresh obstacle.

Within the EEC, the report stated that possible total coal output in 1985 would amount to about 295 million metric tons with the United Kingdom accounting for about 140 million counting for about 140 million

It also said that both the

about the value of assets in-cluded in the consolidated accounts at £42.3m because of

the difficulties in the property and investment markets.

After provisions and write-offs of more than £21m, Triumpb's net tangible assets

have heen reduced from £30.2m last year to £11.7m at March 31.

Among the assets now up for sale is Triumph's 471 per ceot stake in the National Group of

Unit Trusts, acquired last year from Sir Denys Lowsoo in a controversial deal, which resulted in Sir Denys being severely critized in a recent

report hy inspectors appointed by the Department of Trade and

Industry.

The report and accounts do not indicate the extent of any

write-offs against the cost of this investment, hat Mr Whyte confirmed that provision had been made for a substantial fall

Legal consultations are now

in value.

many believed it was possible to stabilize, and eveo slightly increase, output by the middle of the next decade, and it might be possible to stabilize French output—" hut in view of the large investments needed to bring this about, the total may go down before it returns to this level (296 million metric In the case of Japan, the

report claimed that against the background of a general run down in domestic coal produc-tion over the past 10 years, it was unlikely that by 1985 output would be more than the current level of 20 million metric tons, and it could be even less.

"Both the EEC and Japan therefora bad in continue to look abroed for coal supplies, *Senborna Conl and tha Energy Crisis, £90, Maritime Transport Research.

Rising costs have caused the Green Shield trading stamp group to offer its luxury eightseater executive jet aircraft for commercial charter.

craft, based at London's Heath row airport. Iocreased fuel and other costs are understood to have made the aircraft uneconomic to operate solely for Green Shield's executives.

North African coast and east to Moscow. According to a report in Travel Trade Gazette the Carin-

under way to establish what if any amount Triumpb is obliged to pay for the outstanding shares in National Gronp, still owned to Sir Denys and his personalities While rates can be negotiated, the maximum charge quoted is £420 per flying hour with a minimum of two hours.

Mr Whyte asserted yesterday thet the insurance interests of The Green Shield stamp com-Triumph were among the least troubled of the group's invest-Financial Editor, page 17

Costs force Green Shield to

hire out jet

A separata company, Carin-Air Services has been formed to handle the HS-125 600B air-

An air operators' certificate has heeo awarded which will anable CarinAir to nperate over Europe extending south to the

Air service has already proved popular with show busicess

pany, which is effectively owned hy its chairman Mr Ricbard Tomkins was severely hit by the petrol shortage and threat of rationing late last year.

£26m Dubai contract signed with Costain

Dubai, Aug 11.—A British company has been awarded a £25m cootract to build a cement factory in Dubai which will produce at least 500,000 tons a

The contract was signed yes-terday by Costain and Shaikh Rashid bin Said al Maktum, vice-president of The United Arab Emirates (UAE).

The government newspaper Al-Ittahad said building would start in a few days and would take three years to complete. The initial production of 500,000 tons of cement a year could eventually he doubled, it said.—Reuter. UK textile companies

in Tokyo exhibition

Nearly 100 leading British wool textila exporters will show 400 different fabrics in a Tokyo exhibition to he staged by the National Wool Textile Export Corporation in Tokyo next month. Wills cigar drive

WD & HO Wills, a member of Imperial Tobacco, which already holds 56 per ceot of the fast-growing market for large cigars, is to compete in the sector now dominated by imported brands. Embassy Half Corona at 15p each are being introduced in London and the south this week. Citibank rate doubts

A return to fixed exchange rates, far from being a panacea, will neither slow inflation nor encourage world trade, the First National City Bank in its econo-mic letter for August states.

Strand's Paris deal Strand Hotels, part of the J. Lyons group, has finished nego-tiations with the Societé Anonyme de l'Hotel Commodore in Paris, giving Strand a hold-ing of more than 74 per cent

Libyan oil expansion

io the Paris hotel.

An Italian company will expand the Zavia refinery in Libya, doubling its production capacity from 60,000 to 120,000 barrels per day, the Libyan News Agency reported yester-

Wealth tax protest to Chancellor By Derek Harris

Already anxious at the eddi-

tional strains on working capac-ity arising from the running of the wealth and gifts taxes, the Inland Revenue Staff Federation is protesting through the Board of the Inland Revenue to the Chancellor about lack of consultation, which is "demoralizing" staff.

Mr Anthony Christopher, general sacretary-designate of the Staff Federation, said et the weekend: "The reveoue staff are very bard-pressed at the moment. Since the Budget, to get through all the work involved, there bave been 2½ million hours of overtime worked—and all arranged without any trouble because every-body wanted to meet what the Chancellor wanted to get done. "But we bave bad, not for the first time with Chancellors,

a situation in which a decision to do something is made late in the day. "The classic recent example was the additional personal allowance given to single people with childran. But the staff were not notified about it until they had all but completed the recoding arising out of the Budget."

The federation is also alarmed at the effects on preparatory work wheo a minority govero-ment finds its Finance Bill modified while passing through the House of Commons, as bap-

Mr Christopber added

pened a few weeks ago.

"Whatever may be the constitu-tional position as far as civil servants doing a government's bidding, there bas to he some practical realism today. There is a limit to which a Government can muck about with the tasks the civil servents are required to do.

Hull dockers move to black Europe barges

Mr Wbyte, who stepped down In their report on the as chairman on Friday in favour accounts, Coopers & Lybrand, of another director, Lord Chelthe auditors, expressed doubts

Hull's 2,000 dockers are to hold a mass meeting in two weeks' time to consider the unusual step of blacking a ship whose cargo needs no Hull dock labour to handle it. The ship is a BACAT type

Lord Chelmer, new chairman of

mer, declared that huying in-terest had heen shown in almost every part of the group. "The problem is that there is

a buyer's market and it takes

time to sell. But we are uoder

no pressure to sell tomorrow.

Triumph Investment Trust.

(barge aboard catamaran)
operating hetween Rotterdam
and Hull Barges are towed
down ioland European waterways, lifted on board the mother ship, hrought to the Humber and released to sail up Britein's canals to inland destinations.

The unofficial Hull docks joint shop stewards' committee sees them as a threat to the livelihood of dockers, and despite an official agreement between the Transport and Geogral Workers' Union and the BACAT operators, have recommended that the ship's operation be declared black and its traffic between Hull

blems for the men was that BACAT could operate without dockers being involved. Targets would therefore heve to be British Waterways craft operating with conventional cargo in the docks.

Lightermen dealing with British Weterways harges and lorry drivers servicing British Waterways warehouses would not cooperate.

not cooperate.

The men's concern he said, was that using the BACAT sys-

tem, 5,000 tons of cargo could be handled in six bours. This equalled a week's work for 100 It was an obvious threat to

dockers' jobs if the system wera extended.

The BACAT organization had argued that their system would briog a great daal more trade to Hull, Mr Fee said, and on the strength of this bad

recommeoded that the ship's operation be declared black and its traffic between Hull and Rotterdam stopped.

How such action will be enforced, if approved by the mass meeting, is vague.

Mr Tony Fee, e shop stewards' spokesman, said last night that one of the main pro-

Automating UK air traffic By Kenneth Owen

Britain's Civil Aviation Authority has completed an important step towards full automation of air traffic control.

A new multi-computer com-plex has been installed at the London Air Traffic Control Centre at West Drayton, the bardware and software bave been tested and accepted, and the complete system is being iotegrated and checked out prior to operational trials next year. Following the failure of an ambitious plan to develop e fully automated British system, known as Linesman/Mediator, the CAA turned to the United States for the 9020D system which IBM had supplied in the Federal Aviation Administra-

The decision to acquire the £6m American system, for which the FAA agreed to provide the special software free, was announced in June, 1972. At pre-seot the project is nn schedule. Initially it will aummate the handling of civil flight-plan data. On other pages

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Lending rate 113 pc

The Bank of England's minimum lending rate is unchanged this week at 111 per cent. The following are tha results of Friday's Treasury hill teoder:

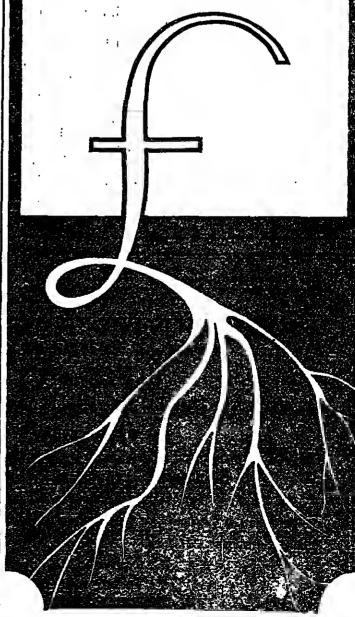
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tinn returns to 1973 levels. Otherwiso continuing deficits heen increasing vigorously Otherwise continuously in recent must be expected. Prof Galbraith joins battle on fiscal policies

From Frank Vogl Washington, Aug 11

Opposition is mounting to the so-called policies of "oldtime religion", embodying severe monetary and fiscal restraint, which President Ford is believed to support.

Democratic Congressmen 's weakness during the marter was a major factor tha country could face a serious recession if it failed to estab-lish a rounded economic programme.

He made no attempt to hide the fact that he still supports the use of wages and prices

These, be said, stood no A battle could emerge of Mr Ford, aiding that Mr chance of success in recent hetween such influential Demo- Ford was conservative and thet

run by people who did not he-lieve in them, such as Mr George Shultz, the former Treasury secretary and Dr Herhert Stein, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers. There is little support in the

years because they were being

Administration for a return to wage and price controls, yet Dr Burns of the Federal Reserve in the White House.

they are pressing for some change in the tax system, to ensure that the least wealthy obtain some relief from the policies of monetary and fiscal restraint and tha record level

conservativo White House officials like Mr Keoneth Rush, the economic counsellor, over some form of wage and price controls and taxation changes.

Mr Ford has decided, for the time being to retain Mr Rush on the White House staff, to maintain the same theory that

crets as Mr Henry Reuss and it is quite possible that his eco

time being to retain Mr Rush on the White House staff, to the displeasure of many trade unionists, who feel he is more interested in public relations and the cosmetics of economic policy than in matters of real substance. Some of the most significant comments on the present situa-

were given before the Nixon resignation by Mr George Meany, the president of tha 14 million member AFL-CIO trade He said that the unions had greet respect for the integrity

tion and the policies of Mr Ford

was years ago. We have no objections to equitable controls, but we do object to controlling wages and not controlling interest rates, not controlling dividends, not controlling every last item that goes into this structure, not controlling income of every particular type."

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reign deal rnings ington, Aug 11 v York Stock Exchange er companies took a sub-al decline in their comin earnings from foreign in foreign activity being than the total fall in

first-ever NYSE report reigo activity of member rage houses shows that n is second only to Swit-d as the principal foreign y contributing to com-mearnings of NYSE memsurvey shows that mem rms had earnings through ission of \$4.7m (about

from business coming ly from Britain io the quarter, and that 79 per of all British purchases and of United States equicies 5m (about £273m) in the quarter—went through member companies. study shows that of a volume of \$4,800m gross and purchases of United corporate equities by ners in the first quarter

s year, 60.6 per cent was coted through NYSE memouses and 50 per cent of tal was accounted for by mies which have supplied ata for the survey. eigo commissioo earnings he surveyed companies nted for only 8.4 per cent ir total commissions in the quarter, against 9.4 per in the final quarter of with the cash totals at compared with \$30m. NYSE comments: "The

the basis of the survey YSE estimates that total ission asrnings hy all per companies from foreign ty amounted to \$33m in rst quarter.

lucing foreign enthusiasm

Juited States corporate

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make little attempt to hide their increasing concero about the dangers of too much restraint, while opposition is evident among trade unions and academics like Professor John Kenneth Galbraith of Harvard.
In a weekend television in terview Mr Galbraith said that

has suggested that some sort of active wages and prices mnni-toring body should be set up. This has wide support among the top ecocomic policy chiefs In Congress, Democrats appear to support the idea, hut

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maintain the same theory that started you down the road-restricted credit, tight money, high interest rates, high unem-Our position on wage and price controls is the same as it

l believe in the value of the industrial democracy cause, especially in terms of its effects on more ontpot, lower costs, less absenteeism, etc—that ia, the practical results on which its euryival will depend, no matter how desirable it may be politically or philosophically. Because of my belief in its value. I eet out these notes of warning in the bope that an understanding of relative strengths and weaknesses will do more to further the cause than the blindly extravagant claims we have heen hearing. The first reason for belief io worker participation" seems to be that a man has the right

But the purpose of the two bodies, the company and the community, are widely different. To over simplify, the Government or council is there m serve the people, while the company can only serve the people if it aurives and succeeds first as a husiness, profit-ably providing goods or services to customers. The rights to have a say in

these two cases are by to means identical. Participation in community affairs is universal and a right if democracy means any thing at all, whereas participa-tion in iodustry can only de-velop if it cootributes clearly to a more effective company. Of course one rubs off on the other, but we must be careful in epeaking of "democratic rights" in the industrial setting. Perhaps the biggest problem the constraint it places on strong individual leadership. Although determined singleminded leaders are by no means universally euccessful, examples of their value are easy to find, and although theoretically it is possible for the truly damocratic leader m be atrong whila atill allowing participation, this is extremely difficult in

nn all sides throughout Europe the company be works for, in which bas to be struck; a move the same way that through a one way can only be made at democratic political system he the cost of the other. For exhas e say in the affairs of his country or local community.

ample, to listen to others simply in order m be seen to be listening is not democracy but bypocrisy; the truly democratic leader must listen, digest, adjust his line accordingly, decide for himself and then explain his action. And if his

personal decision is a minority

one be bas problems! Even if bis decision is a majority one,

he must cope with the minority.

The answer to the dilemma of achieving strong leadership in a climate of consensus decisions, could come from the ultimate raalization that the establishment of leaders is essential for group in survive and prosper. Primitive tribes and animal groups have been observed to sppoint leaders and invest them with authority, because they know that otherwise they he-come chaotic and weakened as a group. This is particularly true in times of crisis. You do not form a committee when the place is on fire. We may all learn this lesson in time.

achiaved from newly introduced participative methods, which can be innocently exaggerated. A similar thing happened when teleader in the agroup while A similar thing happened when with a respect for the righness will allowing participation, computers first became fashion- of each employee, from mp to this is extremely difficult in able. Many were sold on the Lottom, doing his own job well. basis that the results after the Another problematical side PA Manual is misleading to blur the computer would be better than effect is that participative Limited

the results beforehand, forget-ting the streamlining of clerical commitment. Participation proprocedures done in preparing for the computer which alone would have produced the best sider, and an additional oblipart of the improvement without any computer at all.

The same thing can happen with the installation of particia catalyst for good management methods which should have been applied years ago, but the resultant success is attributed to the new participation. And lster, when the result is not maintained through lack of understanding of its source, the new participation gets the hlame just as falsely as it got the credit.

The participation cause is ont belped by the definition of "workers" as heing different from managers and directors. There are few owner-directors. left mday and by far the majo-rity of "non-worker" staff in this country, including managers and directors, came up the hard way. Many of them work harder than the "workers".
With increasing "single status" (ie, same working With increasing "single status" (ie, same working hours, conditions, benefits for Another source of confusion all), and incressing white col-are the claims for results lar unioniam, these differences abould grow less. Meanwhile we must he clear on the henefit: to each of participation, with a respect for the righmess

duces an additional flow of ideas for management to congation for management to do just this. A popular response is for management to set up a working party to look into the pative procedures; they provide idea, since this can be seen by all and it avoids an immediete management decision. At the back of their minds there may he the thought that they can always say so. But in truth can they?

Finally, although it sounds obvious, it is necessary conerantly to remember that everyone cannot participate in every-thing. Participative methods cost time, paper and money, and at some point the advan-tages to be gained will not be worth the expenditure. In the face of the current surge for participation it takes courage to stand up and say "Let us be sensible; we canoot afford bave your contribution oo

Fruitful participation in in-dustry must hagin with under-eranding and education, and this is the aim of these few notes. Treated realistically, we can all gain substantial benefits from this—the most aignificant development in industrial thinking

Brian P. Smith

PA Management Consultants

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Raw deal for sugar farmers

From Mr James Aldous Sir, The shortage of sugar has become e matter of concern to the country. The world prica reached £300 per ton on Friday of last week after being at £230 to £250 per ton for some

months. The Government talks about the sbortfall of supplies from the Caribbean and Mre Williams mentions negotiating a long-term contract for imported sugar at £110 or £115 per ton surely a completely unrealistic

No mention is made about the position of the British sugar beet grower, who produces one third of the sugar consumed in this country. I do not think the public realize that the pro-duction of British grown sugar being jeopardized by tha Government

The position is as follows: The British farmer is receiving only £102.04 per ton for raw sugar. This compares with the French grower's average price of £118.39 per ton. Costings produced in March from a number of farms in East Anglia showed that the cost of growing and barvesting sugar beet was £157.10 per acre and that the eetimated return (based on the five-year average yiald) was

retail profits.

Chancellor's dictate.

She replied that all prices

were quoted inclusive of VAT,

and that it was impossible to

calculate the net price in order

to affect the necessery adjust-

ment. I politely informed ber that this was not so, and demonstrated that the ner

£17.67, e difference nf 32p.

Since March costs bave in-creased further on labour, be-cause of threshold agreements, baulage m the factory, aprays, machinery replacements and

wearing parts.
It is obvious that augar beet growers will not be prepared to produce sugar at a loss and sell it at well under half the world

The only action Mr Peart seems to have taken since coming to office is to take away any chance of a grower abtaining a hetter price by permitting the introduction of what is termed a "B" quota for augar

This means that a grower who bas good yields will not obtain the world price for the sugar beet he delivers in excess of his quota as he was able to last

If the Government is really interested in safeguarding sugar supplies, it must firetly increase the price paid to the grower for this year's crop to that of the French grower, and secondly giva firm guarantees oo the price of next year's crop hefore growers are expected to sign the 1975 contract.

If this is not dooe, the farmers will turn to other more lucrative crops and we as a country will have m huy an increasing

quantity of sugar on markets at prices in excession excess in excession exce markets at prices in excess what it can be produced here.

Yours faithfully, JAMES ALDOUS. bediston Hall, Halesworth. Suffolk IP19 0AW.

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From Mrs M. Wright Sir, How much more of venient and equitable it was be if some simple form rationing could be rationing could be den to cope with present and into

shortages.

I would suggest simply book of numbered, perform stamps to be issued to individual; instructions their use could be given necessary, and before the pular presa publishes beadlines about shortages.

The present system of bag of sugar per sha hag of sugar per short (when there is any) is un as a single person gen much as a large family, husy mothers bave not time to search the shops find where the supplies an

Yours truly,
M. WRIGHT,
9 Nightingale Road,
Rickmansworth,
Hertfordshire.

Moving with caution into a new field

with virtually no takeovers and even fewer new issues, hears

family butchers, Baxters of to say the least. The two most Northampton, seems e little notable ventures, Welfare Inquixotic.

marks a major shift in the been sold off. Square Meals, nave both that it is in leady with the their meat anywhere other whole expansion strategy of which was designed to break Baxter has 400 bntchers meat is one area where the the E307m throover e year into the very fast growing shops in the Midlands and supermarkets share of the group whose interests already freezer food market where south of England. This means market seems likely to be beld

were introduced under the Chancellorship of Mr Barber. These altered the structure of most of their earnings from

the relatively leisurely growth of tee sales, one of its major British sourcee of revenue,

The results have been mixed, In fact, however, the move pliers, Square Meals, have both marks a major shift in the been sold off. Square Meals, whole expansion strategy of which was designed to break

It ended up by being sold to Tesco, who then closed it down et e heavy loss. Welfare Insurance turned out to he less of a problem, but it fairly soon became clear that if it was successful it would fit in badly with what is basically a food company, and if it was not successful, the least said the berter. So that too had to go, this time to Edward Bates. The lessons of these two

experieoces bave clearly weighed haavily on those in Thames House wbo have been looking ehout for some new area of expansion. Baxter's two great attractions, and the two factors which will in all probability be decisive in shaping further moves are that it is already well established and that it fits in neatly with tha

America to the customer in England. This is potentially a tricky point, since one of the reasons given for selling off Square Meals was that the companies retail interests might have led BBL into a con-

no real problem in this. Great care bas been taken to stress that BBL's grocery lines will not be stocked at Baxter's atores. This determination to keep the shops traditional butchers establishments, instead of making them minisupermarkets is reinforced by market research which suggests that housewives are extremely resistant to buying their meat anywhere other than a butchers store. Fresh meat is one area where the

that it will now be totally ver- down to e fairly small figure tically integrated, at least as The merger is not likely to far as heef is concerned, all laad to any closures at the the way from the bull in South slaughterhouses of the new group, though it will probably put off the need for new investmetit.

One other area where the new combined operation has big bopes is in the commercial catering side. Baxter's flict of interest with remilers who are the main customers business, and the growing for the food manufacturing side.

However, Sir Humphrey sees no real problem in this. Great substantially.

But in this, aspects of the takeover, the company clearly intends to proceed with some caution. Great care is being taken not to force through eny major changes in the Baxter management or operations. After all, when you bave just paid £10.9m to get an established busioess, the last thing you want to do is rip it apart and start again. start again.

David Blake

Most companies are probably so worried about managing to so worried about managing to canneloni by way of pickled onions, and which has large of Sir Humphrey Prideaux, scale meat raising interests in South America. BBL is under that they probably have little

that they probably bave little heavy pressure to expand its time for worrying about United Kingdom interests begrowth. Certainly the desd cause of the tax changes which state of the stock exchange, were introduced under the eloquent witness to the fact taxation in such a way as to that most businessmeo really penalize companies which get that most businessmeo really penalize mean their often expressed most of pessimism for the months overseas. In response to this, and to When this is tied in with the

Government's clear determina-tion m hold down food prices, clearer intention not to take BBL has in recent years gone part in a repetition of last in for a number of operations year's soaring spiral of meat designed to huild up new inprices, the recent takeover by terests. Brooke Bond Liebig of the The

British Leyland's long and difficult battle m reform its

wages structure now appears to

be moving into its final stage.

the 8,500-strong labour force at the corporation's five bus and

truck fectories in Lancasbire,

where Lord Stokes began his

career in the motor industry as

these plants at Leyland and

Chorley which, until recently

enjoyed e unique record for

trouble-free labour relations, should have become the final

ontoost of ahop-floor resistance

to introvations which bave been accepted after a struggle in

militant car assembly centres lika Cowley and Longhridge. When Mr Pat Lowry, with a

reputation as one of the out-

standing talents in the labour

relations field, was persuaded by Lord Stokes to leave tha

Engineering Employera Associ-

ation in the late 1960s to be-

come BLMC's director of in-

dustrial relations, he walked

into a jungle of wage hargaining systems. These were largely based on the long-standing

piecework end rate-fixing pro-

Mr Lowry made reform of

wages structure throughout the

corporation end elimination of

piacework the first objectives of his new labour relations

In just over four years, from

various etages of incomes policy, the wage reforms were carried

through in all the car plants.
Workers in the buge Austin
Morris complexes, in Triumph,
Jaguar, Rover and elsewhere are

all now operating under graded

Friday, 23rd August 1974, from:-

a apprentice in the 1930s. There is irony in the fact thet

last hig effort centres of

Leyland's last piecework outpost Industry in

the Regions

dard pay rates, with most getting about £50 for a 40-hour week.
Mr Lowry's strategy has linked these changes to other incovations such as guaranteed lay-off pay agreements and a epecial procedure for settling disputes.

In the light of experience, most trade union and shop-floor leaders are now persuaded thet the changes were necessary Although a great many labour relations problems ramain, and British Leyland bas yet 10 find the answers to metching productivity with its oew earnings levels they no longer etem from the eternal piecemeal hickering over price-fixing on the shop

Only in the Lancashire fac-tories does the piecework sys-tem still eurvive and even there ehop-floor negotiators have come round to the point where there is an agreement in principle that a change is necessary.

To a large extent, British Leyland has been the victim of cir-

cumstances over its negotietions the Lancashire factories. But it bas also bad to contend with a much more effective and astute shop-floor leadership that developed in the past few the starting point of fierce union resistance to change, and later "imported" union hostility engendered by the Industrial Relations Act and the years with the emergence of men like Mr Len Brindle, the convenor for the five plants.

The initial attempt hy the management to push through wage reforms ran aground on the Conservative Government's incomes policy. Within the restraints imposed, British Leyland could not meet the price being demanded by the chop wage structures that give stan- floor for making the change.

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The Lancashire workers were to an extremely strong bargaining position. They had before them examples of the kind of at Longbridge on the eve of Mr Heeth's announcement of the initial 90-day wages freeze.

In the end, British Leyland had to ebandon its insistence on implementation of the new wages structure in Lancashire and concede a general wage increase up to the permitted

Last month after much bargaining the management again put its proposals on the table. They varied in one important respect from the type of wage deals mede in the car plants. While envisaging a standard wage structure, they also left room for higher earnings geared to increased performence.

These were again rejected because Mr Brindle and his colleagues insisted that British Leyland must concede the full permitted increase under Phase Three before terms for a new wage structure could ha dis-

There was e two-week strike on this issue, which ended when British Leyland paid the general increases. But it also got from the union negotiators the acceptance in principle of e revised wage structure and a rerminal date—September 16 for plant level negotiations.

This turbulent period in the bus end truck fectories has

meant a testing time for Mr Geoffrey Armstrong, the young executive chosen by Mr Lowry from his London staff to take charge of negotietions. But now for the first time he can see some real hope that within the next week or two agreements will be reached.

R. W. Shakespeare

Dry cargo rates begin

tions last week that the dry cargo sector of the freight mar-kets was beginning to shake off the doldrums it bas suffered over the last few months, especially, said brokers, in areas where oil-redundant combina-tion hulk carriers bad the least influence.

Much more interest was being expressed, especially from Japanese quarters, in long-term time-chartering while, in the north Atlantic, there eppeared to be more charterers in search

of tonnage to carry grain.

Particular rate improvements
were noticeable. For example, a 25,500-ton bulker was bired for three years et \$6.75 e ton-a good premium, 10 to 25 cents above what may have heen expected two weeks ago, hrokers said.

It was too early to expect improvements in the grain trades, they added, but owners were encouraged by the fact that rates had stabilized over

States Gulf to Holland level still at \$10 a ton.

There was however, a cut-off limit, assessed at 35,000 tons. Vessels, particularly combine tion cerriers, above that size were still in difficulties. Meanwhile in the tanker

trades, owners eased through a low-activity week still plagued by feare that vessels they bad chartered out on high rates during the hoom times may be subject to rate renegotiations. The Persian Gulf trades, bowever, remained essentially weak, akthough some relatively good demand prevented rates for vices slipping back from Worldscale 42.5 (\$4.41 e ton)

level on voyages to Europe. This interest, bowever, o not extend down to the smaller sizes and practically every other type had 10 to 15 points (\$1.04-\$1.55) lopped-off rates—premiums for 100,000-tonners were hack to Worldscale \$0 (\$5.18)

Business appointments

Mr Stanley Harding to be Cornhill chairman

Mr Stanley Roland Harding, ao executive director of Thomas Tilling, has been appointed chairman of the Cornhill Insurance Company. He succeeds Mr Aubrey Jones, a noo-executive Tilling director, who is to carry out an economic project in Iran.

Mr D. H. Henderson, fertilizer business area director of ICI Agricultural Division, has been appointed ICI's commercial general manager to succession to Mr J. L. Tedbury, who is rentring. Mr D. S. Hay has been made a director of ICI agricultural division.

director of ICI agricultural division.

Mr C. R. Jennings, director, Formica, has been elected president of the Association of Industrialized Building Component Manufacturers for 1974-75. Mr J. W. Chambers, of Burnah Industrial Products, and Mr D. I. Wrigley, of Fosroc International, are elected vice-presidents.

Mr J. A. Kempton has been sppointed assistant general manager for Great Britain of the Imperial Life Assurance Co of Canada.

Sir Eric Eastwood, FRS, has

Sir Eric Eastwood, FRS, has joined the board of Infrared Engineering as a non-executive Recent appointments in the Associated Engineering Group in-clude Mr B. E. Lott as a director of A. E. Edmunds Walker and Mr

R. Herrmann as a director of the Giscier Metal Co.
Mr G. W. Dean III has been made vice-president. loternadonal petroleom prodocts, Guif Oil Trading Co. Mr D. H. Brute

Mr K. V. Thomasoo has been made consultant to the Sears Engineering Group to advise on expansion of its engineering activities and deal with special projects. He has redred from his Bentley Group posts with the exception of Bentley Engineering Group and Edgar Pickering (Black-pooll. pool].

mr L. B. Whittaker has been appointed deputy managing director of Bentley Engineering Group, sod has joined the boards of William Company. lian Cotton and Bentley Engineer-Mr Max Findon is to jolo the

Mr J. Gadney has become mamging director and chief executive of lames Bouriet & Sons. He succeeds Mr W. F. Ball, who has retired.
Mr C. J. Hayes, Mr G. F. Clark.
Mr P. D. Rowe and Mr P. Hanson
have joined the board of Charles
Clifford Industries.

Mr John Allen has resigned the managing directorship of Metal Products (Willenball) to devote more time to his duties as managing director of Charles Clifford Indostries. Mr Christopher Hayes replaces Mr Allen as managing director of Metal Products (Willenhall) but Mr Allen remains chairman and a directed of the

Mr H. F. Somerville has been named as finance director of Brooke Bond Liebig. He succeeds
Mr J. M. Thomsoo who will be
director responsible for operafloat in South America and

Trading Co. Mr D. H. Brute replaces Mr Dean as vice-president. Gnlf Oil Company. Asis, snd GOICO regional manager in Tokyo.

Dr Franz Maier, of the Bayer-lische Landesbank, and Mr Robert Pollack, of the Bremer Landesbank, are to join the board of Leopold Joseph Heldlogs, following the sobscription by their banks for 15 per cent and 10 per cent respectively in the increased share capital of the company.

House in South America and Europe.

Mr S. B. Hainsworth has retired bope, from the founce five years actively president and remains a director. Wir Joseph Palmer was elected chairman.

Mr F. G. Earwaker joins the board of Quaker Oats.

Miss Marion S. Kellogg has been elected a vice-president of General Electric Co of the United States.

VAT from 10 per cent to g per cent to "stimulate demand", and to "curb the rise in the cent to "stimulate demand", and to "curb the rise io the cost of living". I would suggest that, in many cases, the effect is, instead, to increase above, but perhaps the compaoy were making use of the confusion to effect a small A few weeks ago I visited a price increase?

Using lower VAT rate to

increase retail profits

branch of Woolworth in London, and saw an electric lawn Motivsted by this experience, I bave examined a number of other stores, and also restaurmower priced at £17.99. This week I visited again with the intention of huying. The price was still at £17.99. ants, and have found that, in the majority of cases, pricea are quoted inclusive of VAT, l called over a supervisor and that there has been m and asked wbether the price was inclusive of VAT. She said that it was. I then suggested adjustment in prices since the new rate became effective (Marks and Spencer, and petrol stations, are notable that it should therefore be lawered in accordance with the

exceptions). Yet, overseas, this is ttormally not the case. I recently visited Italy, where VAT is charged at the rate of 6 per cent, and where all prices, with the exception of very cheap Items where divisibility may he a problem, were quated net of VAT. In cooclusion, I would like

demonstrated that the tier price must bave heen £16.36, with VAT et 10 per cent equal to £1.63, giving a gross price of to pose three questions: (1) Are my experiences atypical, or is this a general £17.99. At g per cent, there-fore, VAT would be equal to £1.31, giving a gross price of fieding?
(2) Should It not be required The supervisor then replied thet all old stock bad to be for prices to be quoted both tiet, and gross, of VAT, and not simply net? (3) How many companies are

sold at the old rate, or the store would be selling et a loss. Again I pointed out that implementing price rises disthis was false, es any goods guised as decreeses? sold on or after the date on Yours falthfully, which the change became ANTHONY MELNIKOFF, effective would pay tax at the Lecturer in Financial Aspects

new rate. If they continued to of Management, charge tax at the old rate, this The Polytechnic of Central would result in pure excess London, profit to the company. She 35 Marylebone Road, NWL

Investment disincentives

Sir, As a Dane, I should not heve mede my home and career

greater sorrow and bewilder-meet that I observe what can only he described as the current lack of courage of its convic-tions and loss of faith in eoterprise, fairness and common-

immediate instance of particular coocero to me is the policy towards investments overseas, and reward for those that pureue these projects. Healey's Budget, any fee that I Some 10 years ago the company that I run, and others in the extra responsibility involved in extra responsibility involved in group, invested in a Danish pub- guiding this investment would be lishing and bookselling company. The purchase price was cent. There is good hiblical precedent for reaping where one has current return to the United current return Kingdom of 20 per cent on the profits after tax, which is the directive that has just been Blackwell Scientific received from the Bank of Publications Ltd, England (to whom naturally I osney Mead, attach no blame, as in this mat-

politicians). An opportunity has now arisen to acquire the controlling in this country if I did not have arisen to acquire the controlling a great admiration for its interest in another major conachievements and artitude to tinental publishing company, life. It is, therefore, with all the which would add substantially to overseas earnings by making feasible a loog term co-publishing programme. The profits are likely to he in the region of £100,000 a year in foreign currency, but the Benk of England requires the remittance to this country of 65 per cent of the profit after tax, which would

elmost entirely inhibit growth. Moreover, as a result of Mr taxed to the tune of 75 per

more recent condemnetion of the originel investment. This growth would have been impossible if it had been obligatory to remit to this country 50 per cent of the this country 50 per cent of the Yours sincerely.

BBC's market research From Mr B. P. Emmett

casting organization, perhaps I could attempt to allay the fears of both Quentin Crewe-who is "filled with gloom" (July 27) at the prospect of the audience being asked what it wants-and Colin McDoneld (August 5) who advocates "consulting the public" hy means of more and better research.

Both are correct in their basic theses, which are not in con-flict. On the one hand, it is true that people cennot know whether or not they will like something totally novel until given the chance to try it and, on the other, research can demonstrably contribute in a veriety of ways to the making of better programmes without hampering the creative pro-

Both can take comfort. I bope, fram the fect that the BBC has for more than thirtyfive years actively snd consis-tectly sought its "customers" tive years actively and consis-trotly sought its "customers" views, not only indirectly by meens of "the ratings", but directly by obteining their opinions of the progremmes they soe and hear, and on meny other issues.

Sir, As one who has spent acted upon sensibly and meoy yeers in the practice of responsibly, fully recognizing market research in a broad that it is not, and never could he, a substitute for the creatiessence of all good programme making. As a market researcher, I can point to a long series of

studies of trial programmes, some of which were decently huried, others modified, others successfully fought for by their creators to achieve later suc-cess, a few making an immense immediete impact. In this work, aspects such as Krugerrands

"comprehensibility" can be examined, as well as "acceptahility"; and a great deal more besidee. As e viewer and listener

myself, I cen be grateful thar the BBC has slways encouraged artists and writers to explore new ideas and not slavishly follow the precepts thet might seem to emerge from a too-narrow interpretation of our research findings. Yours faithfully,

B. P. EMMETT, Heed of Audience Research, BBC Broadcasting House, London, W1. August 6.

Government v management

From Mr Harry Ward Sir, Mr Brett's letter of 24 pleading that the pre Government cease its ab From Mr Anthony Melnikoff then responded by suggesting Sir, In his mini-Budget, the that I was unreasonable to Chancellor reduced the rate of quibble over 32p. vendetta against manager needs further emphasis. To her credit, the supervisor The late Sir Henry urged me continually to s to our large industrial cerns the dangera as long as 1952. His article in Li Bank Review in April of year is carefully written well worth re-reading. Sin up-to-date articles by this long and deep exparieoce really well informed are

> Since the war all poli: parties have explained ; the failure of their policie: blaming managers and man ment. They try "to d, attention from the inflation effects of government ex iture *

Sir Henry writes: "We...
not yet know whether
employment is not a new t for an ald evil-inflation continue to discover this fac Companies must make for years ahead but change government policy take i several times e year. Be are distracted day by day their main job by pol

No busioessmao can por make an intelligent estimate what action Government Inter-union ought to be solved io ... speedy way management and do solve their probler : No one can suggest that intervention of Governmen

our nationalized industries. proves the quality of decisions. Yours sincerely, HARRY WARD, 4 Lindsay Close,

'Barber effect'

From Mr Peter Clarke Sir, Playing Monopoly in family we bave come acro, phenomenon we have called "Barber Effect". When hanker increases the amous money in circulation in the state of the control of of either to specific players, a salt participants, the price of assets rises. This seems to simple and vivid illustration of the provent of the sample demonstration.

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of the "Barber Effect" I gat (21)27:10 occurred in prisonar of camps in Germany; the rency heing the Red Company the rency heing the price of the cigarettes, the price of the company the cigarettes. other commodity in the call and in rose immediately with s landing the

input of cigarettes.

I conclude then that inflat backs is e monetary phenome servations generated by the central by Berranous politically prompted creation in price. Yours etc. PETER CLARKE, 84 St George's Square,

London, SW1.

Housing sales

From Mr M. C. Ray

Sir, I bear on "World at Oxford of a that the Government and a the old Lex mittee to find our why labeling the state of the discount of a which mortgages are available for committee to ascertain for committee to ascert Hillhury, Warren Road, Fairlight,

and inflation

From Mr Peter Clarke

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Enoch Powell has argued?

In other words it is not price.

Yours etc. From Mr Peter Clarks Yours etc.

PETER CLARKE, 37 Upper Street, London, NL

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hen he g subsidiary are being d as they fall due. as a auditors make it equally het the "going concern" oo which the accounts aen prepared assume the ing support of the clear-nks, which are estimated e pumped around £20m this year. These are valid for the rest of cror although the fact ctor, although the fact oot be apparent from a reading of some other secondary bank accounts.

Management of the Bank of England place to pay an interim divi-22 february, under bank-22 february bank. The question of £11.7m put on the base bas any meaoing after the extraordinary cepnonal provisions and ffs of more than £21m. mph is unwinding its es and will seek to obbest price it can for its But the auditors express about £19m of property nearly £17m of loens and es, and more than £6m sociated companies, a which presumably takes risions against the value umph's interest in the

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What provision should making against the likeof eventual losses on the ary bank rescue operaind against their nwn to the property sector? igain Triumph's figures. assets front appear more , or more gloomy if you van those disclused elsein the financial sector. ; if anything, the shares, stood at 71p on Friday the publication of the rering a market capitalisa-£4.3m, will be worth in hs' time largely depends mprovement in the ecoand financial climate.

se goes for the ahares of ther financial groups. re is indeed an improvesen the gearing implicit ing will result in some ne gains being made in res of those companies nanage to hang on long to see the value of their ecover. But there are s few signs of an iment yet-if anything the

Against that backeven the hardiest gambuild have reservations riumph at any price.



BY THE FINANCIAL EDITOR

Mr G. T. Whyte, chief executive dismantling the group's activi-

Wall Street

Gloom lives on after Mr Nixon

By contrast with the euphoria io Woshington and in most parts of the United States os Mr Gerald Ford became President on Friday, Wall Street closed in a sombre mond. The view there is that it will take a good deal more than simply a transfer of presidential power to bring ebout a revival in the securities markets. Mr Nixou'e era may well be

remembered in New York City as the time the Dow Jones average fell more than 20 per cent and investors ran away from the markets in droves. The latest edition of Business Week magazine comments that "the securities industry today is io the worst financial straits it has seen aince the early 1930s".

A real crisis, largely because small investors have become so disenchanted that they have

withdrawn almost completely from the markets. Brokers know well that it may take years to get them back. The result, quite simply, is heavy unemployment and e good number of hankruptcies and mergers in the United States stockbrokerage

Taken together, Wall Street brokers have had losses of more than \$50m so far this year. The outlank is gloomy, olthough somewbat brighter now that there is a new man at the White

For the markets, however, the transition from Mr Nixon m Mr Ford meant no more than just a 30-point gain on the Dow. One might have expected a

bigger surge in share prices last week, but new wbolesale price figures spoilt all the fun, knocking a lot of sense into people in demonetrating that in turn poses a question infletion's pace here ie, if any-vation for the clearing thing, accelerating and it is inflation that ie Wall Street's

biggest problem.
Inflation is driving up overhead coets at brokerage bouses, it ie turning investors away from regular stocks and shares ioto treasury notes and bank holding company floating-rate notes and it is making a virtual muckery of corporate profit figures.
This lotter fact is particularly

disturbing because invesmre just do not know bow to really make sense of balance-sheets The fact is that, while profits

of many companies reached record levels in the first balf of thie year, the real advances were in many cases almost negligible after adjusting for the effects of inflation on the stated values of assets and invectories. Many banks, for example, are still valuing securities they hold at cost, when the

real value is well below.

To add m all the rrouble there is the continuing talk of a crisis throughput the country's finan-cial system. Many banks are known to be over-extended and many are being hir hard by the "Fed's" tough policies.

The Herstatt and Franklin troubles have bardly helped. All this is making investors deeply

On mp of all its other

by the prospect of increased compatition with the abolition of fixed commission charges scheduled for next spring. For the present the Street cao only wait and see

.. but long-term appeal remains

Fund managers in London and (importately, since so much investment trust activity centres on Scotland) in Edinburgh are by no means convinced that the end of the Nixon presidency signals an early end to the bear market on Wall Street. Some stockbrokers and bankers on this side of the Atlaotic are talking in terms of a real resimple on Wall Street oround. vival oo Wall Street oround 1976—perhaps later.

Nor for that matter, however, are they looking for a sustained improvement in any of the world equity morkets before then. If there is any consensus view it seems to be that Wall Street is the safest repository for equity funds—provided investors ore prepared to bide their time for a revival.

Indeed, this view is reflected pretty closely in the recent per-formance of United States-oriented investment trusts rela-Europeen or Far East hias. Investment trust prices bave strengthened generally in the past two weeks, but the United States-oriented ones bave maiotained their relative premium. Thus trusts such as Americao Trust, British Assets, Caledonian and Clydesdale, for example—all with e United States hias-are selling on a discount to asset values of 19, 17, 23 and 21 per cent respectively while the discounts for United Kingdom biosed trusts are typically of the order of 26 or 27 per cent.

The current historic bigb levels for the \$ premium are ont viewed by most investment managers as a mejor inhibiting factor so far as Wall Street iovestment is concerned. Many of them have loan facilities et their disposal, aoyway, if they wish to take them up. The real constraint, as one City investment banker put it last week, is o simple lack of investment funds as the money supply tightens and as investors realize equity assets to meet current or future liabilities.

It is axiomatic that stock markets do not tend to go up when the mnney supply is tightening which, of course, is heppening in the United States now as the Administration attemots to come to grips with inflation. And hopes that inflation may be coming under control in America were puncwholesale price lodex and its threatened effect on the

retail index. Brokers and fund maoeeers bere are convinced, however, Wall Street provides some excellent long-term buying opportunities. "Besic America" situations such as steel, aluminium and paner, currently selling on p/es of between 2 and 5 will ride out the American cao recession—severe though much Ciry oninion srill expects that to be-and should go back to multiples of 10 or more in

tbree to five years' time. Oo the other hend, the consumer stucks are certainly not favourites for leading a Wall Street revival this time os they were io 1970. They probably have yet to feel the full impact nf deflatino and rising unem-

In essence the United King dom view seems to be that Woll Street will not recover materially notil the threat of an international monetary crisis is past.
But once there is any real ossurance on this score, Dow Jones overage will off first ood go far and fast. belned, outte possibly, by an influx of Arab investment funds currently woiting in the Christopher Wilkins looks at the problems facing consortia banks

Conducting operations on a much more modest scale

It would have been a minor miracle if the turmoil besetting the world's financiel Institutions had wholly passed by the coosortia banks. As it is, one of the fastest growing banking phenomena of the late 1960s and early 1970s eppears to be running to en abrunt

Whether the momentum can

ever he fully regained is seriously open to question. Although there con be little doubt that short-term uncerthemselves thrust into a period of fundamental reassessment from which they are unlikely to emerge without some tar-nishing of the growth imsge. In the longer term it could mean they will have to learn to live with a much more mo-dest scale of operation.

The coosortium concept has always bod its ecemies but until now their objections heve been brushed aside by the heady pace of growth. What heady pace of growth. ever doubts might have been aired were swamped by the multitude of sdyantages to which its proposents could

Some were drawn to the consortium concept as offering a route into merchant banking, or into a variety of specializatinns. Others looked to the spin-offs which could be der-ived by the parent banks themselves as a result of closer association with a group of diverse banks baving a wide geo-graphical apreod.

The explosion of the Eurocurrency markets during the past five years was the cornerstone of their growth.
Consortia bonks were uniquely
cut out to cope with the huge
ecale of lending in this market by drawing together under one umbrelle the substantial combined resources of several parents. Moreover, they pro-vided on entrée for smaller hanks into the merkets, while avoiding the necessity for expensive branch operations.

Before 1970 there was barely a bandful of consortia banks io existence. Todey there are around 50, mostly based in London, and by last September their combined assets in the Eurocurrency parent banks might respond if

total London market. By the same token that they were so deeply involved in the Eurocurrency market they were bound to suffer to some extent from the fluctuations in its fortunes. Some, like West rn American Bank and Oring trading in Eurobonds, for in stance, and have progressively

reduced their dealing opera Difficulties of that though, have been dwarfed by the developments of the past rbree months associated with growing disencharement with medium term Eurocurrency lending.

The problems here are well ecough known. The collapse of Franklin National Bank and Herstatt Bank forced denerstatt Bank forced de-positors to take a closer look at the banks with whom they were placing their funds. Ques-tioos hegan to be osked about who would assume responsibil-ity for a Eurobank which ran ioto crouble.

In search of greater security, depositors started to recycle funds away from smaller banks into higger banks or took their money but of the market altogether. The banks in turn took a closer look at those with whom they dealt. In many cases what they saw prompted them to cut back sharply on the lines of credit they had previously extended.

The consortia banks hove falled under special scrutiny and many of them have suf-fered badly from the cutting beck of lines. Depositors were less than certain whether the ultimate responsibility for a consortium bank which could not meet its commitments lay with the Bank of England as the host ceotral bank or with

The Bank of England, in common with other central hanks, has maintained e scrupulous silence on the matter, However, it would probably expect other central banks to belp pick up the pieces in the event of the collapse of a consortium bank of mixed parentage.
Also in doubt was how

£4,058m or 8 per cent of the Capital and deposits of leading consortia banks at their most recent balance aheet dates

Capital	Oeposils	Cepital es % of deposits
£26.1m	£561m	4.6
£27.7m	£517m	5.4
£34.5m	£383m	9
£19.2m	£319m	6
£10.8m	£203m	5.3
£4.9m	£129m	3.8
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find. First, it becomes deba-

table bow far parent banks

still wish to go oo making re-

gular cash injections at a time

when disillusion with the Euro-currency markets combines

with some uchappiness about

the quality of some of the loan

commitments taken on during

the past two years by their largely autonomous offspriog.
Second, it becomes material to ask what would happen to

the balance sheets of the

parent banks if the assets end

liabilities of the consortia banks were divided up pro

The onswer, clearly, is thet the reletively low capital/de-

posit ratios of the consorna

banks could pull down the overall ratios of the parents at

a time when many of them are

already under pressure end could ill afford it. A technicol

and largely theoretical point perhaps, but if it is true the

next question is whether the

assumptions that permitted the

consortie banks to gear so

So far no consortium bank

bighly were appropriate io the

has produced a trading state-

ment to indicate bow it hes

responded to the chonges of

the past three months. But the recent reports from United

International Bank and Mid-

land and International Banks

suggested that both were

greater balance sheet conserva-tism. By the year end it seems

probable that most othere will

be showing a reduction in both the size of their deposits and

first place,

the ultimate crisis arose. Could it he taken for granted that they would come to the rescue, seedling their owo balance speet with beavy additional commisments io an area where many were already beginning to feel uncomfortably overcommitted already?

Commercial Banks

J. P. Morgan

With uncertainties of this sort m feed upon it was but a sbort step to reviewing some of the asumptions about consor-num bank operational style which had hitherm been eccepted almost without ques-

Chief among these assump-nos was that certain commercial banking criteria were not wholly applicable to consortie banks. This, it was argued, was because the combined re-sources of the parent banks enabled new capital to be in-jected into the consortium more easily than could be the case with the parents them-

Consequently, it was felt, the

consortia banks could afford to operate oo cepitol to deposit ratios that were considerably more liberal than those permissible to the parents individually. It is apparent from the accompanying chart that meny consortia banks-although by no means all—bave taken advantage of this assumption to maintain lower ratios then the 8 per cent or so which most commercial banks would regard os a desírable level. Stripping out the loao stock element of capital leaves an

even more merked divergence. In good times there has been essumptions. In more difficult their loao purtfolios.

mental ground for concern. Some consortia banks, it is cleat, have left themselves more exposed to liquidity difficulties in the event of deposit withdrawals than other banks operating in the Eurocurrancy Liquidity difficulties only arise when a bank finds itself times the flaws are not bard to

unable to recew roll-over deposits to meet its load commitloans and deposits are broadly matched and there is a reasonable cash margin, it matters little if short-term deposits are not renewed since the commitments run down simultaneously.

However, even where banks

are prepared to assume—as

meny are—that the low ratios

are oo cause for worry, there

an equally

But Bank of England sta-tistics for last September, the most recent avoilable, reveal thet 85 per ceot of London consortium hank deposits were placed for six month periods or less, while only 61 per ceot of their loans were due to mature in under six months. For the Eurocurreocy merket as a whole, liabilities and assets were much more closely matched at 85 per cent and 79 per cent respectively.

None of this means that crises are imminent. It seems improb able that parent hanks will shrug off their responsibilities, injections of new capital are still being mede and many of the consortia banks entered the present year with strong cash and near cash holdings

anyway.
There are, in addition, various other options open to consortia banks in difficulty. Selling of their participations in syndicated luans is one pos-sibility, although it is hard to see how this could he done without loss at the moment, Diverting resources away from other areas is another.

In the longer term, though, the disillusion with which some parents are now viewing the operations of their conbanks suggests sortia once the period of immediate reprenchment is over, the growth emphasis is likely to be directed progressively from the Euromorkets.

American car industry gambles to overcome crisis margins, partly, say industry

crisis the United States car industry has been enfering from Another hit of encouragethe high levels of inflation and ment came in the profit fiinterest rates and it may be gures of the "Big .Three" struck again, before the end of manufacturers.

The industry, to put it produced some improvement mildly, has been realing from But the figures still to have fallen so much that wide thiogs really are, with first ranging reorganization has balf 1974 net earnings of Genbeen forced upon the giants of Detroit. Unlike the West German car industries. dismissals of top executives, but the shake-up is neverthe-less a considerable one.

The impact of developments in this industrial sector on the rest of the economy cannot be nver emphasized. For many Administration economists the slump in the car business is the prime cause of the two consecutive quarters of negative real GNP development, that have been seen bere.

Industry experts estimate thar some 800,000 businesses ocross the country are depen-dent upon car production and that one out of every six employees in the country is involved in the manufecture, maintenance, distribution or commercial use of motor ve-

In the last few days new figuree have been onnounced that bave given industry executives some encouragement. For the first 10 day period since 1973 oew car sales rose above the comparative level a year ago. New sales in the July 21-31 perind were ahead by 0.5 per cent, although asles for the month of July were atill 17.8

The the year by an economic reces- quarter figures were appalling end the second quarter clearly mildly, has been reeling from But the figures still tell blows to the point where sales their own story of how bad eral Momrs down to \$426m (about £177.5m) from \$1,614m German car industry, the crisis in the same 1973 period. has not been eccompanied by Ford'e earnings for these periods are down to \$291.4m from \$754.9m, while Chrysler's net profit is down to \$29.4m

from \$198.4m.

The way sales are going it seems unlikely that total new sales in America this year will exceed 9.5 million units. Industry leaders believe this fiwill be achieved, but gure will be achieved, much really depends on how willing consumers will be to pay the prevailing bigher prices for cars Wby car sales elumped

now history, with most of the blame rightly placed on oil prices and some blame due to inflation. But the car producers, though they do not admit it are now taking what amnuots to a big gamble.

Partly to offset buge cost

rises they have made rises on average of around \$500 oo 1974 models and the indications from the industry are thot rises of similar proporper cent of retail prices—will be made on the 1975 models due out shortly. manufacturers

frankly doubt if in this high

United States Car Production 1973 2.056,027 1,589,787 1.346,709 Chrysler Motors 6,189,231 4,426,087

ioflation atmosphere the creased prices will weaken de-mand, but they could be making a serious error in their desperate effort to boost profit margins.

The suggestion that all the

price rises are 10 meet increased costs just doee not convince, despite the fact that Ford stated not long ago that labour and material rost increases in the six months since November 1, 1973, have exceeded by nearly 100 per cent increases projected by the company late last year".

General Motors said in its

second quarter report that costs of production so fer this year have risen by an average \$225, brokeo dowo as rises of \$70 in personnel costs, \$50 for steel, \$20 for other hasic materials, \$50 for components and \$35 for freight and orber items. The price risee by all manufacturers bave more than offset such cost

a net profit margin of about 6.7 per cent which was bigher than the margins maintained by its rivals. The industry is now making a tremendous effort to get back to raise

DYEING

General Moiors last year had

executives, because reorganization plans are golog to demand sharp rises investment spending. The crisis has forced Ford to speed about \$250m this year on converting produc-tion facilities to small car output for the north American

will pay the higher prices, but they even helieve that consum-ers will still beck away from foreign made cars. The United States manufacturers are now offering more small and compact huilt cars than ever before, which does damage the strong position that foreign manufacturers, especially the West Germans and Joponese, bave loog beld here.

Prices of new cars tend to have e greater impact on the sort of car people buy here does fuel economy. It might have been thought that the foreign monutacturers would have enjoyed a boom foreign monufacturers there lost months because of the greater fuel economy of their products over those coming from Detroit. The fact is that through devaluations of the dollar and high foreign inflation many foreign small cars bave virtually priced themselves out of the market.

Last year imported car sales reached a record of 1,750,000 units, while this year the total may not even reach 1,300,000. In the first aix munths of this year, because of high prices, foreign car sales bave fallen by 24 per cent, with sales of such hig foreign componies here as Volkswagen, Datsun and

Toyota down respectively by 33 per cent, 29 per cent and 26 per cent.
Foreign monufacturers de-

pend greetly on the American market and are desperate to get back into a strong position. The sbarp price rises by United States manufecturers could just give the foreigo producers Not only do the Detroit cat the chance that they so badly need and it would seem that Detroit is not fully appreciating this fact.

The hig company leaders in Detroit are forecasting that new car sales here next year will be around 10,500,000 units, but they may well be dis-appointed. The oew high cost of new cars plus the bigh cost of fuel may make Americans more reticent to trade in their

Furthermore, the high fuel costs and the new 55 miles per hour speed limits may reduce travelling and thus reduce the wear on cars, leading to a slower poce of model changes by purchasers.

In contrast to the three giants, plucky American Motors has finally proved that there is no muonpoly oo wisdom in the car husioess. This company bas long been the supporter of small cars, sometimes at its cost, but it was certainly prepared, like none of the others, for the crisis that came. Furthermore, with fairly good products it can now hope that the mony first time buyers of its cars will stick with the company and that it finally has e chance of really expanding.

Frank Vogl

Business Diary in Europe: Development in Paris

it Giscard d'Estaing's ous international comcentre on the old Les istrict and prdering the of it over to become a is bas hadly joiced the developers. Is Paris cease to be a prime m "site"? green lung" for centhe lusb years from the

when a Paris regional boom started in which developers bave played as big a role as the themselves, the Elysee's undoubtedly marks a point. comes when the French tion industry is caught

general pessimism due autumn's threatening c climate in France. It in top, the national inif statistics reports to a of investors already g the property started ght credit restrictions the property field e threat of new tax

the Prime Minister, who to "interpret" the the decision ers began to protest illing: "We have no inof lening Peris sink heinternational commertre." The centre could lace in some new town Paris, he added non-

new priorities were steted: "We are in the e of a Paris very dramahort of green space and e decided it is not

reasonable to think solely in nancial terms The designs for the centre, M Cbirac added, were "not good" anyway—exactly the kind of language of the "sen-timentalists" who fought vainly

to save the old Les Halles market from the property moguls under President Pompidou. It is now rumoured that the President, who has already axed the Paria left bank expressway and saved the "Cite way and saved the "Cite Fleurie" from being turned into a block of insurance offices, is going to reexamine famous schemes

Defense.
"If only we had been coneulred we would not bave the difficulties we face now with the promoters," M Yves Milhould, president of the Paris municipal council, sighed. Ha put the loss on the centre which was to have bad 100.000 sq metres of nffice space with adjuncts including luxury flets. at 300m francs, possibly rising to 600m francs if nothing is done now to balance the Les

Halles project financially. Few ordinary Parisians will shed many tears for the developers, who constituously preferred high cost prestige projects m building reasonably priced homes during the Gaul-

Drugs clinch

While the Dutch government too much for its products, and is still busy trying to bring with its profits margins tightly is still husy trying to hring Hoffmann La Roche's prices for the tranquilizers Librium and Vallium down to near British the pharmaceutical



M Jacques Chirac: not good

industry has gone into o clinch with the dispensaries. In Holiand, as in most Coon nental countries, dispensaries are not part of a chemist's store but are an entirely separate business. The pharmaceutical industry has the chemists under control in a general vertical price agreement, but the dispensaries have oow decided unilaterally to raise their prices so that they take the maximum profit allowed, 18 per cent, on all factory made medicines.

The pharmeceutical industry,

frequently accused of charging

controlled by the Government,

is angry with the pharmacists

for promoting what could mean

a 5 per cent rise in the price

thought to be threatened by immediote poverty. If the industry must keep its prices down, then the retail trade must play the anti-inflation game as well, the industry's council has written in a letter protest to the minister economic affairs, Rudolf While the pharmacists are accused of growing fat on the proceeds from private patients, the council for the health insurance funds in The Nether-

lands bas warned Dutch doctors

that they can expect an account-

heve their own dispensary,

of medicines to the customer. Pharmaciats are nor a branch small shopkeepers which is

ant on the doorstep. ineurance companies Tbe suspect that they are being charged for factory made medicines, while what the patient actually gets is a less coetly, precisely similar, homemade versioo. The companies have threatened to demand to see the invoices for supplies of medicines m doctors before poving their hills, and to dreg those who have offended before

a medical tribunal. Bed brass

One of the first questions which Alfred Parnes, the director of overseas operations for Smand, the J. Lynns hotel company, bad to answer when his com-pany finally acquired the Hotel Commudore in the Boulevard Haussmann in Paris was how to dispose of several hundred brass

Considered very chic in London's Chelsea set, there was some uncertainty as to how they would be received in Parisian circles. In the end Mr Parnes decided to maintain the traditional French style of the 160-room Commodore and make as few changes as possible. Manager and staff after the takeover still remaio as they were under family ownership.

Balmain coup

For some time now the power and influence of the world of baute couture bas been under pressure from the "ready to wear" end of the rag wear" end of the rag trade. Recognizing the shift in emphasis the Paris fashion houses have been moving in-creasingly inm areas which a few yeare ago would have seemed unthinkable. The latest is the French feshion house of Pierre Balmain which has just signed up with the London subsidiary of Haw Par Brothers International, the Singapore treding house.
Under the terms of the agree-

ment-regarded by many in the trade as a major coup in the world of high fashion-Balmain's range of ready to wear clothes will be marketed in Britain for the first time next

The deal more significantly marks another important step io the aspirations of Hongkong's textile industry to establish itself as a producer of quality garments and to rid itself of the image of being a producer of cheep garments.

HICKING PENTECOST & CO. LIMITED

INCREASED PROFIT AND DIVIDEND

Salient points from the Chairman's Statement :---

Group Profits were the highest ever recorded. Treasury permission obtained for increase in dividend.

Higher level of activity, leading to increased turnover and

tion of raw material costs and the effect of the Threshold

KNITWEAR' Improvement in profit reflects the expansion of the division.

Despite general shortage of nylon yarn turnover doubled WARP KNIT leading to greatly improved trading results.

PROSPECTS Future prospects are obscure due to the continuing escala-

Agreement on wages. The Company is endeavouring to expand its Export Markets. Copies of the Annual Report and Accounts can be obtained from The Secretary, Hicking Pentecost & Co. Ltd., Queen's Road, Nottingham NG2 3AT

Annual Meeting, 5th September, 1974.

Yatton Furniture caution on future

Furnitura and record dispetch levels have so far heeo schieved but Mr L T. Heoderson, the chairman, is not hopeful of the coming mooths. He feels no forecast can usefully he made which offers any comfort at the present time but he will review the current outlook at the annual meeting. Commeoting oo the threshold wages agreements which give automatic increases io line with the cost of living he says these may have no relevance if the furnitura market declines, pointing out that furniture has to be sold out

stockpiled. The group's major capital expeoditure programme which has been financed out of cash flow and bank borrowing has now been completed and the rehabilitation of the older parts of the factory is being con-tinued. During the past year prices of some of the group's main raw materials more than

The current year opened with hasis for cootioned devalop- board have declared so interim sound order book at Yatton ment and they are confident dividend in respect of the year urniture and record dispetch that when the present economic to June 30, 1975, of 1.5p. that when the present economic uncertainties diminish, further opportunities will arise advance its interests.

Hicking Pent.

Although the futura is obscure due to substantially higher costs, including fuel and wages, turnover in the first quarter of the current year is up on last year. Reporting this the chairman says the group started with greater capacity available in each division but he war as that continued current high inflation will affect the ability of the textile industry to floance working capital from retaioed profits.

Hume up 31 pc

of the factory is being continued. During the past year prices of some of the group's main raw materials more than douhled and so far some, such as particle hoard, show no sign of levelling off while inflation and nrice controls present fresh problems.

Centreway Securities

Mr Aothony Cross, chairman of Centreway Securities the iovestmeot bolding group said the board considers that the Group's present portfolio of investments provides a sound

Hume Holdings, the investment they are truet, reports a 31 per cent gain in taxable profits for the year to June 30 in spite of its banking associate setting aside £700,000 as a special provision. Total net revenue emerged at £1.57m against £1.19m which has been restated to allow for the change in the fill-9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the fill-9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage holding in the capital dividend is to he 2.75p ment were against 2p making the year's to June 30 in spite of its banking associate setting aside £700,000 as a special provision. Total net revenue emerged at £1.57m against £1.19m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage holding in the percentage at £1.57m against £1.19m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage holding in the percentage at £1.57m against £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage holding in the percentage at £1.57m against £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage at £1.57m against £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage at £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage at £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage at £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the £1.9m which bas been restated to allow for the change in the percentage at £1.9

Graham Wood Steel

The current order hook of the engineering division of Graham Wood Steel Group is satisfactory while the operating facilities available io stockholding allow for further expansion of turoover. Reporting this the chairmao adds that on the property side it appears unlikely that the market will improve sufficiently for profits to be earned in 1975. Results of the first full year of the Scottish division bave been most encoursging and further expansion is planeed.

Stock Conversion

Group pretax reveoue of Stock Cooversion & Iovestmeot Trust, the property group, for the year to March 31 shows an increase of 22.9 per cent from £2.2m to £2.7m of which £227,000 against £33,000 is attributable to minorities. Taxation, which is arrived at after providing £500,000 io respect of properties beld for development hy the finance subsidiary, takes f1.9m against f1m. The total divideod is being raised from 1.97p to 2.04p with a final payment of 1.31p. Earniogs a sbare were actual 4.31p against 6.34p and fully diluted 3.82p against 5.9m Eurobond prices (yields and premiums)

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OECD's prescription to cool Japan inflation

Paris, Aug 11.—The Organiza-tion for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) has the control of the industry. expressed concern over the rapid acceleration of inflatioo in Japan, which, it says, has reached "unprecedented and clearly intolarshle rates". It has suggested a prolonged cooling-off period.

In its annual survey on the Japanese economy, the OECD says the "phenomenal" acceleration of consumer prices early this year has strongly influ-enced the recept record-high wage settlements concluded at the very momeot iodustrial pro-duction and real domestic demand were falling.

It coocedes that to a large extent these exceptional infla-tionary developments could oeither be prevented nor atteousted appreciably in any short period by demand management pressures.

None the less, both the timing of earlier policy adjustments and the delay in their impact bave played a role in the domestic component of the inflationary process.

For the short term, the OECD be expected that the resign of the Japanese economy of the gradual introduction of the gradual introduction of the inew challenges public tariffs. Over the medium good guide for the ruture, if the expected that the resign of the Japanese economy of the efficiency of the admittance in the new challenges. The public tariffs over the medium survey adds.—AP-Dow Jon.

Following the greatering expected fall of output and he demand in the first quartering vate consumption declined per cent in volume during first balf of this year companion an increase of 7.7 per cent in the per cent in the second companion and increase of 7.7 per cent in the second contract of the per cent in the second contract of the second contract of 7.7 per cent in the second contract of 7.7 per cen with an increase of 7.7 per in the second half of 1973 The OECD secretariat's in

cast of a progressive uptur activity through the first of 1975 assumes the comtion of overall demand rests with a gradual relaxation restrictive policy during the months of 1974.

Turning to Japan's balance payments situation, the or says that its recent and substantial deterioration oot seem to raise imme iotractable problems

The large current defice about \$7,750m (£3,230m) cast for 1974 is the result of substantial additional cost, imports of some \$11,000m of a noo-oil surplus of \$41 "If past performance good guide for the future.

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Brokers'views

The cautious recovery of confideoce io the equity market last week is mirrored by a batch of investment views from major stockhrokers. Simon & Coates argues forcibly that the world is eptering a cyclical recession hut oo worse, insisting that there is no fundamental reason why the United Kingdom ecocomy should experience more than a "normal cyclical pause" io its long term growth plan.

& Crosthwaite's Feoo moothly letter-after its traditional heracog of politicians, ceotral bankers, the Lahour Party and some well-known Conservatives—sees the solution to the problem of the Westero world as sbarp deflation by all the oil importing countries which "is oow bappening". And from Scotland, Stirling Hendry says it is coovinced that capitalism will survive.

The three firms differ in the cooclusions drawn from their views. Simon & Coates recounts the wide range of unsettling factors still overhapping the market—perves in the froancial sector, world interest rates and the prospect of an election season, and decides that these preclude any solid recovery in share prices. While still relatively bullish about gilts, the firm gives a warning that only a moderation of inflation re-mains a necessary condition for any long-term improvement in

Fenn & Crosthwaite claims an be heavily oversold. The case is that equities are already dis-counting a recession and would now benefit from the forcible reductioo in inflatioo that it must entail. The firm boldly recommeods property sbares, with Town & City coming in for special mention.

While not holdiog out much hope for the sbort term, Stirling Heodry feels that purchases of the leaders—ICI, Courtaulds and the like—will prove profitable on a medium term view. Stirling Heodry takes a closer look at Scottish and Universal Investments (SUITS), for whom it predicts pre-tax profit of £7.5m in 1975-76.

Terry Byland

The Times Share Indices The Times Share Indices for 69.08.74 (base date June 2, 1966 original base date June 2, 1969)......

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Commodities

By John Woodland

Wool market membership tripled

Visitiog a tailor to purchase a suit is oot a particularly irksome task but when confronted with a bundred or so patterns then it hecomes quite a chare. However, with the enthusiastic help of the wife it hecomes comparatively easy.

Six patterns that take the every was in a process of decline and fundamental changes.

European wool textile industry out heing accompanied by some fundamental changes.

Floor membership of the terminal market slumped to only simply liquidated.

The floor members of the participation of leading companies in the wool industry as well as sociation, heing largely trade

Six patterns that take the eye are immediately and empharically rejected, so with a sigh of despair (inaudibly, of course) it is glaringly obvious that the choice lies not with the wearer. After what seems an age three are picked and quickly labelled A, B and C. After further prolonged consideration B and C are elimioated.

Only now, in spita of gnashing of teeth and frantic wagging of the head, does price come to the fore. A gleam to the eye of the tailor forewarns the ioevit-able: "Ha! you have consen

able: "Hal you have chosen our most expensive cloth."

Thinking that the suit will be eotwined with gold you humbly ask what material is it. "Sir." be smilingly replies (they always smile when you choose their top cloth) "that is pure wool". Glumly you make the stock reply—oaturally.

On reflection it is peroaps as well that the visit did not take place a year ago for then prices on the London Wool Fer man Market were 100p per kilo bigher thao today. To make the day complete it was learnt that it will take seven weeks hefure the suit is ready, thus easily missing the opaning of London's greasy wool cootract on Septem ber 2. It's a pity hut you caunot hedge against a fall in the price of a suit between time of ordering and time of taking delirery. log and time of taking delirery.
But for the wool trader he
will have every opportunity to
hedge against price risks to the new Australiso greasy wool contract. Ooe area where Lon-

Association, heing largely trade houses, were decimated by this process. There had been a teodeocy to discourage outside speculative participation in the most and interest is so houses and interests from the Sydney market.

Considerable interest is solved. speculative participation in the market and this accentuated the cootractioo io turnover which was io any case a consequence of relative price stability.

Mr Schrader says that trends, whatever their nature, tend to he self generating and this situation led to a decline in ioterest from the diminished hrokers/dealers. Wheo wool prices fell during 1970-71 to postwar lows there

was consequeotly a minimum of interest from brokers. This was even more regrettable when prices began a rally in November, 1971, that was to quadruple values by March, 1973, and again show the lead to world commodity price treods.

A futures market was formed in Sydney during 1960 which had two important advantages:
(1) its contract was in local
greasy wool, and (2) the novelty
appeal of the first (and still only) futures market in Austra-lia eocouraged speculative business to counter hedging, even though only minimum fluctua-tions occurred over long periods.

Whan hig' movements came this market was therefore able to accommodate much of the trade hedging from Europe and elsewhere, but only at the ex-pense of the executions lacking close supervision hecause of the ohvious time discrepancies.

contract. One area where London will score over the Sydney futures market is that wool bought outsids the auctions will he eligible whereas this material is excluded from Sydney.

In a brief resume of what has happened over the past decade or so Mr John Schrader, the masoaging director of Gardner Lohmson, the London commodity hrokers, says that the

heing expressed from com-panies in various parts of the

world and further applications for membership are probable.

The cootract itself is for Australian greasy wool, ex-store Flushing. In all practical aspects it is identical to that traded io Sydney and allowing for the time factor, delivery could be taken from that market in Australia and tendered ket in Australia and tendered in London on the same terms.

This oaturally is helpful io ensuring price alignment for arbitrage transactions. Both markets use the same clearing facilioes (the loternational Commodities Clearing House) and one might guess that ar some time agreement for them to have identical delivery points

have identical delivery points could be reached.

A very large part of the international trading io wool is still cooducted io sterling. A bedging facility in a sterling market may therefore be of more value at times than entering a forward commitment in Australian dollars. The Australian Wool Corpora-tion. Mr Schrader adds, has already acquired a stockpile (38

a result of its price support operation1 of over 200,000 hales. operation! of over 200,000 hales. It has indicated that it will make sales in wool firms throughout the world on a direct basis and to this eod will hold stocks in centres, including Flushing. With the wool trade world wide in not too great a shape currently, the market may well need time to get established hut if the larger companies involve themselves and ensure a con-

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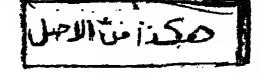
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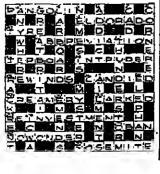
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